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VALIANT EFFORT - The North Quincy-High School boys' volleyball team bowed to perennial powerhouse Westfield in the Div. 2 tournament championship June 15 at Worcester North High School. The Raiders were the first NQ team to reach a state tournament final in 20 years - the last being the girls' volleyball team in 2002. The boys' volleyball team also set a program record for victories in a season with 18 including four wins the Div. 2 tournament. NQ was the number one seed in the tournament and finished the season with a record of 18-2. Westfield (20-1) was the number three seed and won its fourth state tournament title in five years. Story on Page 18.

Photo Courtesy Amy Smith

Speaker Mariano Concerned About 'Ghost' Guns

By SCOTT JACKSON

House Speaker Ronald Mariano said he would like lawmakers on Beacon Hill look into ways to control ghost guns - firearms that can be made at home and are untraceable.

Mariano was asked about Massachusetts' gun laws in a recent interview in the wake of mass shootings last month at a Texas elementary school that left 21 students and teachers dead and a New York supermarket that left 10 dead. A bipartisan group of US senators are working on new federal gun-control legislation in the aftermath of those shootings.

Mariano said much of what is now being considered on Capitol Hill is already on the books in Massachusetts and cited a concern about ghost guns.

"I do think there is some things we should take a look at. Ghost guns is something that has really got me concerned," the Quincy Democrat said. "When you can manufacture a gun based on using a three-dimensional printer and on the internet buy a trigger mechanism and the springs to make it a functional gun that doesn't have a serial number, is not registered anywhere, it is

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City Eyeing Electric Vehicles Including New School Buses

By SCOTT JACKSON

Mayor Thomas Koch has proposed using a \$3 million bond to begin purchasing electric vehicles for the city, including new school buses.

The City Council's finance committee on June 15 voted 4-0 to approve the

proposed bond. Councillors Ian Cain, Noel DiBona, David McCarthy and Charles Phelan Jr. voted in favor of the request, while Councillor Anne Mahoney voted present. The other four councillors were not present for the vote that evening.

Final council approval for the bond could come as soon as this week. The council was scheduled to hold its last regular meeting of the spring on Tuesday, after The Sun went to press for the week.

The city worked with

National Grid to conduct an assessment of the possibility of converting its fleet of vehicles to electric, Chris Walker, Koch's chief of staff, noted at the June 15 meeting.

"It's the raw data, it's not gospel, but it's basically

indicative of the work that went into studying the fleet, figuring out what vehicles maybe have potential for electrification, which ones currently don't, and draws something of a road map moving forward for the city," Walker said.

The assessment said the city had 445 vehicles in its fleet, 395 of which have electric-vehicle equivalents available commercially. The report found it would be cost effective to replace 101 of those vehicles with elec-

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FinComm OKs \$15M Bond For New Animal Shelter

By SCOTT JACKSON

The City Council's finance committee gave its approval to a \$15 million bond to pay for a new building to house the Quincy Animal Shelter, the Police Department's K-9 unit, and the city's animal control officer, and the full council could pass the bond at its meeting this week.

Councillors voted 4-1 in favor of the bond during the finance committee meeting on June 15. Councillors Ian Cain, Noel DiBona, David McCarthy and Charles Phelan Jr. voted in support of the request while Anne Mahoney was opposed, and Nina Liang voted present.

The remaining three councillors were not in attendance.

The vote drew a round of applause from supporters of the Quincy Animal Shelter, who nearly filled the Great Hall inside the McIntyre Government Center for the June 15 hearing. One resident was seemingly displeased, however, interrupting the meeting shortly before the vote to ask if the bond would raise her taxes.

The \$15 million bond still requires final approval from the council at a regular meeting and it will take six votes to pass. The final regu-

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ARCHITECT's rendering of the proposed new Quincy Animal Shelter on Quarry Street, which would also house the Police Department's K-9 unit and the city's animal control officer. The City Council was set to consider a \$15 million for the project Tuesday evening. Renderings Courtesy City of Quincy



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DAFFY-DILL the clown offers a youngster a slice of a "Domino's Pizza" along the route of the 71st Quincy Flag Day Parade June 11.
Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth



REVOLUTIONARY WAR-ERA dressed militia fire a volley during the Quincy Flag Day Parade. More photos on Pages 15-17.

71st Annual Quincy Flag Day Parade



QUINCY-NORTH QUINCY Marching Band color guard twirls the red, white and blue during the Flag Day Parade.



UNCLE SAM ROUNSEVILLE and his wife Jean Kenney wave to spectators along the Quincy Flag Day Parade route.

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Mariano Says Gambling Bill Should Include College Sports

By SCOTT JACKSON
It would make no sense for the legislature to allow betting on professional sports while banning betting on college athletics, House Speaker Ronald Mariano said recently.
The House and Senate have passed separate bills to legalize sports betting in the Bay State, and the differences must now be reconciled before a final bill can be sent to Gov. Charlie Baker. The legislature's formal session ends on July 31.

The House bill, approved in a 156-3 vote last summer, would legalize gambling on college sports though betting on individual college athletes' performances would not be allowed. The Senate bill, passed by voice vote this spring, would prohibit betting on college athletics. The Senate bill, unlike the House bill, would also prohibit advertisements for gambling during live sports events.

During a recent inter-
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QUINCY VETERANS COMBINED Honor Guard and Firing Detail that marched in Quincy's Flag Day Parade June 11 are pictured before the donated veterans ambulance that provided their transportation. The combined unit consisted of representatives of the Cyril P. Morrisette Post No. 294 of the American Legion, Squadron 294 of The Sons of The American Legion, The Morrisette Post Auxiliary and The William R. Caddy Detachment of The Marine Corps League. From left to right (front Row): Heikki Pakala, George Bouchard, Robin Nicholson, Guy Ferris, Steve Dunlea and Stephen Fowles. Back row: Don Knight, George Nicholson, Marc Connolly, Pat Nee and Dave Piccuito. Courtesy Photo

Korean War Remembrance Ceremony At War Memorial Saturday

On Saturday, June 25th at 9 a.m. the City of Quincy will be remembering the 38 men who were killed in action in Korea on its 72nd anniversary of the beginning of the war.
"The Korean War - also known as the Forgotten War - is never forgotten here in Quincy," said Quincy Graves Registration Officer George Bouchard.

Bouchard noted the memorial has taken on some improvements recently and

will be ready for this event. Keynote speaker will be U.S. Army retired Master Sergeant Robert P. Shaw, a Korean War combat veteran. Other scheduled speakers are Mayor Thomas Koch,

Quincy Veterans Council Commander Daniel Tinney, Senior Vice Commander of the Veterans Council Steven Dunlea, Quincy Veterans Services Director Christine

Cugini and Bouchard. "We invite the general public to attend this ceremony to honor the men and women who served their nation during this time,"

Bouchard said. For more information contact George Bouchard at the Quincy Veterans Services at 617-376-1194 or email gbouchard@quincyma.gov.

Squantum Road Race Set For July 2

Registration 9:30 AM, Race 10 AM

The Squantum Road Race, a tradition held annually as part of the 4th of July festivities in Squantum, will be held Saturday, July 2nd. Registration will begin at 9:30 a.m. at the Squantum Fire Station located at 50 Huckins Ave. The race will kick off at 10 a.m. Registration is \$20 for adults, and kids age 10 and under run for free. State Rep. Bruce Ayers, who has sponsored the Squantum Road Race for over 20 years, said he's excited for the race to be held once again. "It's a great community event that has become a real Squantum tradition to kick

off the July 4th festivities," he said. "I'm looking forward to seeing all the families and runners who come out to support the road race, which is run in memory of longtime Squantum community activist Frank Buckley." T-shirts will be provided as supplies last, and trophies will be presented to first place winners in each age category as well as first place overall. Medals will be presented to every child who runs. All proceeds go to the Squantum 4th of July Parade.

More NQHS Scholarships Awarded

North Quincy High School Class of 2022 graduates Jennie Burgess and Tiffany Tran both received a North Quincy High School Class of 1973 Scholarship. This information was not available when the list of scholarship recipients for both the North Quincy High School Class of 2022 and the Quincy High School Class of 2022 was published in the June 9th issue of The Quincy Sun.



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Moments in time

THE HISTORY CHANNEL

• On **July 9, 1777**, New York elects Brigadier Gen. George Clinton as the first governor of the independent state of New York. Clinton would go on to become New York's longest-serving governor, as well as the longest-serving governor in the U.S., holding the post until 1795.

• On **July 7, 1852**, according to Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's stories, Dr. John H. Watson is born. Coincidentally, the Sherlock Holmes author died on this day in England at the age of 71.

• On **July 4, 1911**, record temperatures are set in the northeastern U.S. with the arrival of a deadly heat wave that would go on to kill 380 people. On July 13, New York alone reported 211 people dead from the excessive heat.

• On **July 10, 1925**, in Dayton, Tennessee, the so-called Monkey Trial begins with John Thomas Scopes, a young high-school science teacher, accused of teaching evolution in violation of a Tennessee state law. The law made it a misdemeanor to teach any theory that denied the story of man's Divine Creation.

• On **July 5, 1946**, French designer Louis Reard unveils a daring two-piece swimsuit at a popular swimming pool in Paris. Reard dubbed the swimsuit a "bikini," inspired by a U.S. atomic test that took place off the Bikini Atoll earlier that week.

• On **July 8, 1950**, the day after the U.N. Security Council recommended that all U.N. forces in Korea be placed under the command of the U.S. military, Gen. Douglas MacArthur is appointed head of the United Nations Command. When MacArthur later publicly threatened to escalate hostilities with China, President Harry Truman fired him.

• On **July 6, 1971**, Louis "Satchmo" Armstrong, one of the most influential musicians of the 20th century, dies in New York City at the age of 69. Armstrong pioneered jazz improvisation and the style known as swing.

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Summer solstice

In the Northern Hemisphere, summer solstice is too late to plant many vegetables; harvest is just around the corner for tomatoes, cucumbers, squash, and melons. Spring-planted annuals are blooming and perennials are coming into their own. However, some vegetables are at their best when harvested in fall. Depending on your climate, you may still be able to plant swiss chard, turnips, collards, radishes, arugula and spinach where they get morning sunlight but are protected from intense afternoon sun. — Brenda Weaver

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THE BAKER-POLITO ADMINISTRATION has awarded a \$1,961,375 grant to Quincy's QUBIC Labs. Left to Right – State Rep. Kate Lipper-Garabedian (co-chair, House Blockchain Caucus), state Rep. Josh Cutler (co-chair, House Blockchain Caucus), Keli Callaghan (Algorand, QUBIC Partner), Isabella Bagi (GrantFin, QUBIC Member), John O'Keeffe (QUBIC co-founder), Ian Cain (QUBIC co-founder), Executive Office of Housing & Economic Development Secretary Mike Kenneally, Mayor Tom Koch, state Sen. John Keenan, Renee Fry (Gentro, QUBIC Member), state Rep. Tackey Chan and Pat Larkin (MassTech Collaborative).
Courtesy Photo

Baker-Polito Administration Awards \$1.9 Million 'Tech & Innovation' Grant To QUBIC Labs

The Baker-Polito Administration has awarded a \$1,961,375 grant to Quincy's QUBIC Labs, an incubator that will work with startups and entrepreneurs interested in building blockchain apps, technologies that hold the potential to transform innovation-focused sectors including finance, healthcare, insurance, supply chain, and government.

The grant is the first award made under the Commonwealth's Technology & Innovation Ecosystem Awards program, a funding initiative launched earlier this year to provide capital support to innovative projects statewide.

The award will support infrastructure investments at QUBIC that will provide startups with access to hardware and custom software development tool kits developed by Boston-based Algorand. QUBIC will work with Algorand and other partners to develop the platform, helping grow transformative blockchain companies from early-stage research to scaling their business, helping contribute toward job creation in the Quincy-area and beyond. Blockchain was highlighted in the Baker-Polito Administration's 2020 economic development bill joining other areas where Massachusetts can grow tech and innovation jobs, including robotics, fintech, artificial intelligence, and quantum computing.

"We are pleased that this investment will bring new entrepreneurs and innovative companies to Quincy, adding to the existing community of tech startups and talented workers that call the city home," said Gov. Charlie Baker. "QUBIC's track record of supporting startups, matched with Algorand's technology expertise, will help these businesses grow and we look forward to their future success."

The Commonwealth's grant from the Technology & Innovation Ecosystem

Awards program will support an overall \$4.5 million, three-year project. Funding will enable QUBIC to create an interface with the Algorand blockchain, a leading development platform that supports smart contracts and is carbon neutral. QUBIC's background supporting businesses in financial, government, and civic technologies will be supported by a consortium of tech, capital, legal, real estate, and data analytics companies that are committed to advancing blockchain development and innovation.

"The Commonwealth's investment is a clear and necessary indicator for the blockchain industry that Massachusetts intends to be supportive of this emerging sector," said QUBIC Labs co-founders Ian Cain and John O'Keeffe in a joint statement. "There is tremendous excitement, optimism, and enthusiasm across the industry, and now is the time for Massachusetts to use its natural competitive advantages of talent, entrepreneurial spirit, and capital to make even greater contributions in blockchain technology and development. QUBIC Labs is humbled and proud to serve as a steward of this foundational investment that will yield great economic outcomes and technological advancements for the Commonwealth."

The objective of the Technology & Innovation Ecosystem program is to advance technology and innovation sector projects or initiatives that will contribute to a competitive advantage for existing and emerging industry clusters in Massachusetts, helping drive job growth, business expansion, workforce development, and the development of new tech and innovation firms. The program is funded through the Scientific and Technology Research and Development Matching Grant Fund (Mass. Gen. Laws Chapter 40J, Sec. 4G) and was officially launched in late February 2022.

proposals and in the feedback from our advisory board, the opportunity to grow a regional hub for blockchain development was the key opportunity we identified," said Pat Larkin, Director of the Innovation Institute at MassTech. "The partnership of organizations from around the region and the ability to quickly boost emerging startups in the near-term was also a positive. Unlike some R&D investments, which take years to build and take effect, with our investment in Quincy there's real potential here to grow companies and jobs that will harness the global opportunity around blockchain."

Under the proposal, the creation of a regional hub for blockchain technology and development for the Commonwealth identified potential near-term economic benefits that will grow from the investment, including the creation of 10 to 15 new companies and between 40 to 60 full-time employees, helping to address the economic impacts from the COVID-19 global health crisis in Quincy and the wider region.

"This grant is a great testament to Baker-Polito's Administration's commitment to energizing our innovation economy across the Commonwealth," said Quincy Mayor Thomas Koch. "I'm incredibly proud of the work QUBIC Labs has done right here in Quincy in just a very short time, and this award is a firm recognition of its potential to grow, create good jobs, and make Quincy a hub for the tech economy in the years ahead."

"As Speaker, I'm always proud of the tangible impact that the Legislature's economic development appropriations have on the communities that we serve," said House Speaker Ronald J. Mariano. "It's our responsibility as elected officials to invest in industries and technologies that will drive future economic growth, and I'm thrilled that my home city of Quincy will continue

to serve as a hub for this critical innovation."

"I am pleased that a business that has not only thrived in Quincy, but has expanded its capabilities to support businesses elsewhere has received recognition for its efforts," said state Sen. John F. Keenan. "I thank the employees of QUBIC Labs for all their hard work and MassTech for its vital support of companies like QUBIC around the Commonwealth."

"The Tech and Innovation grant shows the Commonwealth's continued commitment to innovation, advancement of technology, and job growth," said state Rep. Tackey Chan. "This investment in forward-thinking technologies has the potential to impact a wide range of sectors including government and healthcare. QUBIC Labs will be central in moving us into a technologically advanced future."

In 2020, the Innovation Institute at MassTech funded a blockchain education series for government innovators, which launched three sessions that provided a high-level technical overview, covered the real-life applications of blockchain by governments around the world, and outlined how to identify new blockchain opportunities to help streamline government processes, create efficiencies, and generate new jobs. The sessions were supported by a \$30,000 state grant and were run by Media Shower, a Boston-based media and communications company that worked closely with the Boston Blockchain Association, a community of innovators, collaborators, and entrepreneurs that are working to establish Greater Boston as an international blockchain hub.

Organizations interested in applying to the Technology & Innovation Ecosystem Awards program can learn more at: <https://masstech.org/grant-solicitation-technology-innovation-ecosystem-awards-program-solicitation>

Scenes From Yesterday

SURF BATHING, WOLLASTON BEACH, QUINCY, MASSACHUSETTS

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THIS POSTCARD is a view of Wollaston Beach and the Wollaston Yacht Club just before it was destroyed by fire in 1948. Squantum is in the distance across Quincy Bay. The Yacht Club building was floated out to its pilings in 1904 when the boulevard was going to be built through its land on the shoreline. Expanded on the shore side

in the 1920s, the club had a large function hall and offered private lockers to its members around the second story. MDC lifeguards who worked out of the old police station/ bathhouse across the street used the small boat shown here in the center.

From the Tom Galvin Postcard Collection

June 27th Is National Sunglass Day

By Dr. CAROLANN SPERANZO

It is time to enjoy the summer sun. Sunglasses have become both fashionable and protective. Few realize the sun generates solar blue light as well as energy radiation ultraviolet (UV) rays that cause sunburns on the skin and similar sun damage to the eyes.

Often fashion sunglasses have lenses in pretty colors but do not filter the vision care industry's recommendation of 99 - 100% of UV rays. There are two types of UV rays: UV-A that impacts your central vision and retinal area; and UV-B that may be more problematic than UV-A rays.

Exposure at the beach in greater since there is reflection from the water. Whether

you are at the beach or in your backyard, eye related problems from UV rays are higher for those who are on certain medications or have certain retinal disorders.

When you are choosing sunglasses, your Eye Care Professional (ECP) offers the best advice to ensure you have sufficient filtering, the frames are comfortable and fit well. They should be large enough to cover the full eye area - eyes and the sensitive eyelids. This is not only for adults, but children are susceptible to the effects of UV exposure.

Remember, the sun's rays are still there - even on cloudy days and even on chilly days. Recommended colors for the lenses are gray for the best color truity and green. Pinks, blues, purples

are less effective even with UV filters so be sure the sunglasses have information that state whether they do filter sufficiently. Also, polarized lenses provide even more filtering with better contrast.

While some feel that sunglasses - prescription or non-prescription - are an indulgence. Eye protection is important and consider that for a \$300 pair of glasses, it only costs \$0.41/day. That is far less than the daily cup of coffee and is healthier to protect the precious sense - vision.

Dr. Carolann Speranzo

Caleb Gray On Dean's List

Caleb Gray of Quincy has been named to the Milwaukee School of Engineering's Dean's List for the

spring quarter. Gray is pursuing a bachelor of science in computer science.

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READERS FORUM

FB Golf Park Plans Net Improvement For Neighborhood

As a resident of the Wollaston Hill neighborhood - with two young kids - I have been visiting the park at the Furnace Brook Golf Club for at least the last seven years. We have visited as a family to use the swings and the slide; we have attended neighborhood gatherings and celebrations in the park; I walk through the area daily for a change in scenery from my home office.

When I first learned that the city was taking over the site I, like many, was skeptical of what plans we would be presented with, expecting more condos or maybe an office building (and some even said a cemetery??).

After seeing the plans that the city has put forward, their willingness to be open and transparent with residents, it is clear that this will be a net improvement for the neighborhood, not just for the golfers.

Over the last few months, I have seen and heard some commentary about the project that was thought-provoking, and so I thought on this long Memorial Day weekend, I might put down my own thoughts to share.

One of the more recurring complaints is that the park is getting paved over to make room for more parking. Every plan I've seen includes a specific area for

recreational activities, in addition to new courts for basketball and tennis. At least one plan includes an area designated for dogs; though I am not a dog owner, I do understand the need for that specific space, especially with kids running around the field area. The area being paved over is mostly dead and dying brush with an old fence, a portion of both courts, and the swings and slide.

I love that we have this outdoor space and recreational area, but I've never seen it well utilized. The space in the park is plentiful; reorganization and re-

vitalization of the area is long overdue. For most of the year, it is an open field with little regular use, often muddy and/or torn up, bordered by a mess of partially dead foliage.

Aside from the field, a play area with two sets of swings and a slide sits next to a basketball court and a tennis court that themselves have seen far better days. If the city is interested in revamping those amenities with a potentially enhanced playground, I welcome the effort.

Jer Newman
Quincy

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Quincy's Yesterdays

This Week
1950
72 Years Ago

American Forces To Aid South Korea

President Harry Truman today ordered United States planes and warships to the aid of South Korean forces. He laid down a policy of standing firm against Communist aggression in the far Pacific.

As part of the broader policy, Truman directed that the U.S. Seventh Fleet be prepared to prevent any Communist attack on Formosa, the island refuge of the Chinese Nationalistic government.

It was learned that President Truman's historic decisions were reached at a high policy meeting at the White House.

AIRPLANE CRASH OFF OKINAWA KILLS LT. WALTER DELLA CHIESA

First Lt. Walter A. Della Chiesa, only son of City Councillor Amelio Della Chiesa and Mrs. Della Chiesa, was killed Sunday, June 25 off the Pacific island of Okinawa when his aircraft crashed into the sea.

Lt. Della Chiesa's death occurred on the day that North Korea forces invaded South Korea. Lt. Della Chiesa was married to the former Jane H. Buckner of Braintree. The couple was married in June 1948 shortly after his graduation from West Point as the 12th highest graduate in his class.

QUINCYISMS

Quincy and 15 towns in the "South Shore pocket" show a gain of 41,888 persons according to the 1950 census figures. The City of Quincy totaled 83,190, an increase of 8,380 inhabitants over the 1940 census figure of 74,810, or an 11 percent increase... Three graduations occurred recently in the family of Mrs. Mary Coughlin, 17 Holmes St., North Quincy. Daniel Coughlin received a BS degree in education from Boston Teachers' College. His brother James E. Coughlin graduated from the High School of Commerce in Boston and their sister graduated from North Quincy High School. The brothers Coughlin are both World War II veterans... Richard Chouinard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph E. Chouinard, 1485 Furnace Brook Parkway, West Quincy, a Quincy High graduate, received the Charles Hayden Memorial Scholarship of \$250 as well as the Billings scholarship of \$300. He will attend Northeastern University... Quincy Coal and Oil Co., 1520 Hancock St., announced that the prices of anthracite (hard coal) will advance substantially July 3. The deadline for placing orders at the old price was July 1... Camel cigarettes announced that a "noted throat specialist's report on a 30-day test of Camel smokers produced 'Not One Single Case of Throat Irritation Due to Smoking Camels'... Quincy Cooperative Bank, Quincy Center, was advertising "Paid Up Shares" (purchased in units of 200) which were paying 2 1/2% per annum... The Quincy Market, 18 Chestnut St., Quincy Center, was offering "Sirloin and Porterhouse Steaks for 85 cents a pound"... Msgr. Irving L. Gifford, pastor of Sacred Heart Church, North Quincy, was honored at a testimonial dinner given by clergy, parishioners and friends... Don Dixon, WJDA weather forecaster, was the guest speaker at the weekly luncheon meeting of the Quincy Lions Club... Roy Colby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Colby, 29 Lafayette St., Quincy, received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Harvard College. He was a 1946 graduate of Quincy High School where he served as class president... The Art Theater, Hancock St., Quincy Center, was featuring Joan Crawford in the "Damned Don't Cry" and Dan Dailey in "Ticket to Tomahawk"... Quincy Granite Motors was advertising "Studebaker Champion, 6 Passenger, 2 Door, Custom Sedans for \$1,560.30"... Ronald Tarbox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Tarbox, 48 Ruggles St., Quincy Point, graduated from the U.S. Merchant Marine Academy, at Kings Point, New York. Upon graduation he received his license as a third class engineer and a commission as an Ensign in the U.S. Naval Reserve... Roy J. Barry, son of Capt. Edward H. Barry of the Quincy Fire Department and Mrs. Barry, was a third year student at Tufts Medical School... Richard Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Moore, 110 Pine St., Wollaston and Robert L. Atkinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd C. Atkinson, 235 Holbrook Rd., North Quincy, received their Eagle Scout awards during the Parents Night program of Troop 8 of the Wollaston Methodist Church... Edward C. Geehr, an executive of the Fore River Shipyard, was installed as the 29th president of the Quincy Rotary Club at the club's annual installation ceremonies held at the Squantum Naval Air Station. Geehr succeeds John R. Herbert, managing editor of the Quincy Patriot Ledger.

KEEPING UP WITH THE RED SOX

Red Sox Manager "Marse" Joe McCarthy resigned after the club lost three straight to the Detroit Tigers. New Red Sox Manager Steve O'Neill led the Sox to four straight victories over the St. Louis Browns. The Red Sox were in fourth place in the eight team American League with a 36-30 record, 7 1/2 games behind the league leading Detroit Tigers.

Lions Club Of Quincy Holds 82nd Installation

The Lions Club of Quincy had its 82nd Installation of officers and directors on June 8th. The Installation was the first in-person event the Lions Club has had since the uptick in COVID cases in December.

Karen Giovanniello the 2021-2022 President, opened the Installation with the help of MA past and present District Officers. She reported on the Clubs' achievements in the past year which included contributions of \$18,000 in scholarships and donations to those in need; completion of over 400 hours of community service and welcomed 5 new members: Anne Hallisey, Gayle Bellotti, Dr. Debi Sarma, Jane Carthas, and Jaqueline Hassan. While the Lions Club of Quincy was recognizing its newest members, it also celebrated some long serving Lions. Lions Uncle Sam Rounseville, Chuck Phelan, Joyce and Tom Hogan all received their 20-year chevrons.

Past District Governor Matthew Richardson and President of Massachusetts Eye Research Fund presented Uncle Sam Rounseville with the MLERF Hope award for Uncle Sam's efforts in drawing attention to macular degeneration, an eye affliction that causes blindness in older adults. Uncle Sam suffers from macular degeneration and had put a billboard on the corner of Beale Street and

Newport Ave to raise awareness.

Lion David Sawyer a past President and Melvin Jones Fellow had the honor of presenting Lion Don Uvanitte, also a past President of the Lions Club of Quincy, with a Progressive Melvin Jones. The Melvin Jones Fellow is named after the founder of the Lions Club International of which the Lions Club of Quincy is a part. While there are over 1 million members of the Lions Club International, there are roughly 100,000 Melvin Jones Fellows. It is a prestigious award, and the Lions Club of Quincy was pleased to bestow this great honor on Don who is a 45+ year member of the Lions Club and has been a key contributor as Membership Chair and in his unflinching support of the club.

President Karen announced Lion Paula Rowe was this year's Lion of the Year. Paula has been a Lion for over 10 years and works tirelessly behind the scenes to support the Club.

Dawn Rice-Norton, past District Governor of MA District 33K, presided over the Installation of Officers and Directors and Installed Kris Richardson Smith as the 82nd President of the Lions Club of Quincy. Kris's theme for this post pandemic year is "Coming together" - in person, organizationally and in service for the community. The dragonfly was used during the installation



LIONS CLUB OF QUINCY recently held its 82nd installation of officers at the Neighborhood Club of Quincy. From left to right: Secretary Jennifer Menelly, Director David Sawyer, 1st Vice President Lucille Cassis, 2nd Vice President Serenity Belo, Immediate Past President Karen Giovanniello, Director Jean Kenney, Membership Chair/Tail Twister Don Uvanitte, Service Chair Gayle Bellotti, President Kris Richardson-Smith and Installing Officer Dawn Rice-Norton. Missing from the photo Treasurer Sean Glennon, LCI Chair Joyce Hogan and Directors Steve Mansfield and Erin Cohen. Photos Courtesy Quincy Lions Club

ceremony as a symbol of the change and transformation that will be taking place. As Dawn installed each officer and director, they were presented with a dragonfly of a specific color that matched the position of the person receiving it.

The installation finished with the announcement of the winners of the virtual raffle. Since March the Lions Club has been selling tickets and through donations from local businesses, the Club was able to give out 10 prizes. The Lions Club of Quincy wishes to thank all the sponsors and raffle donors, which are key in enabling the club to help so many people.



LION DAVID SAWYER (left), a past president and Melvin Jones Fellow, presents Lion Don Uvanitte, also a past president of the Lions Club of Quincy, with a Progressive Melvin Jones.

Lions Club of Quincy Continues An Annual Remembrance At Sailors' Home Cemetery

In 1999, the Lions Club of Quincy helped restore the National Sailors' Home Cemetery. Headstones were reset, the fence was repaired and a marker was placed to identify the cemetery located in the Beechwood Knoll area of Quincy.

In addition to several years of participating in

Wreaths Across America and Cleaner Greener Quincy, the Quincy Lions along with the Quincy Masons hold a remembrance to honor the fallen Civil War Sailors and Marines that resided at the Old Sailors' Home.

The annual remembrance is held on the Sunday of Memorial Day weekend.

The 119 names of the sailors and marines that rest in the cemetery are read, including a recipient of the Congressional Medal of Honor, and a memorial wreath is placed near the cemetery marker. An additional wreath is placed at the beginning of the footpath to the cemetery on Fenno Street



PICTURED LEFT to right Michelle Lydon, Christopher Goulet, Ken Chia, Chuck Phelan, President Karen Giovanniello, Don Uvanitte, Jennifer Menelly and James Tyack at the National Sailors' Home Cemetery. Photo Courtesy Lions Club of Quincy

BBB Tip: Help Choosing A Summer Camp For Your Child

By BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

Camps are once again looking like a good option for child care and entertainment over the long, hot summer. Now that many pandemic restrictions have been lifted, there are more camps available for caregivers looking to have their youngsters spend the summer being active and engaged.

In the United States, the American Camping Association (ACA) accredits camps based on accountability, credibility, and commitment. The YMCA of the USA (Y-USA) offers camps through local YMCAs across the U.S. In Canada, check with the Canadian Camping Association - they encourage campers and camp professionals to look to their local Provincial Camping Association and Provincial Health Authority for the most up-to-date information.

BBB offers these tips to parents searching for the right summer camp:

• **Check for accreditation.** Regardless of pandemic-related issues, the safest way to ensure your child's safety is to send them to a trustworthy camp. ACA accredited

camps must meet the 32 national summer camp standards, and BBB Accreditation requires the organization meet eight BBB Standards for Trust. Search for camps in the ACA and find camps near you in the BBB Directory to check for BBB Accreditation.

• **Know required safety standards.** Individual states will provide health and safety guidelines for summer camps, following CDC recommendations. These protocols may include measures such as monitoring health of staff and campers, limiting visitor access to campgrounds, adapting meal distribution and providing sanitation products to staff and campers.

• **Use references.** Ask if they have a list of references or past campers you can contact. You may also want to consider asking trusted friends or family their recommendations for summer camps. Reviews and complaint histories can also be found on the camp's business profile at BBB.org.

• **Assess medical resources.** Camps should have resources for treating sick and injured campers. Some chil-

dren need daily medication; ask about the camp's medical facilities and how those resources can accommodate your child's needs.

• **Review contracts and fees.** As always, you should review contracts before you sign them. Find out the total cost and if a deposit is required. See which activities or services require additional fees. You should also check for details regarding refunds. If that information is not outlined in the contract, ask a camp employee.

Find a summer camp near you at BBB.org.

Two Residents Graduate Clark U.

Two Quincy residents recently earned degrees from Clark University in Worcester. Alexandra Victoria Smith graduated with a master of public administration. Smith is a member of the Alpha Epsilon Lambda honor society.

Louis Maxwell Wong graduated summa cum laude with a bachelor of arts with honors in interactive media.

Perennial Gardens For Beauty All Season

By MELINDA MYERS

Create long lasting beauty and pollinator appeal in your landscape with the help of perennials. With a little bit of planning, you can have flowers, foliage and seed heads that add interest to your garden year-round.

Select perennials including native plants that thrive in the sunlight, soil, and moisture conditions in your garden. Incorporate several inches of compost or other organic matter into the top eight to 12 inches of soil to improve the soil so your perennials will be healthy, showy, and long-lived plants.

As you select your plants, consider seasonal foliage and flower color as well as texture. Warm colors like red, orange, and yellow make large areas appear smaller, energize the space, and make it feel warmer. Cool colors of blue, green, and violet make small areas feel larger, hot areas seem cooler, and create a sense of tranquility.

Large leaves and flowers are bold and create a focal

point while small flowers and narrow leaves create a sense of depth when used in the back of the garden and they make a nice backdrop for bold textured plants.

Maximize beauty in every square inch and extend your budget with plants that provide multiple seasons of interest.

Look for opportunities to include spring flowering bulbs like daffodils, tulips, hyacinths, and grape hyacinths into the landscape. Although their blooms are relatively short lived, these spring beauties are sure to brighten the garden and help chase away the winter blues. Add these to your fall planting list.

Include some spring, summer, and fall blooming perennials with season long foliage, fall color or winter interest. You will find many great options at your local garden center. Plants like Siberian Iris (*Iris sibirica*), hardy in zones 3 to 9, tolerates full sun to part shade, has beautiful flowers in spring, nice foliage, fall color, and persistent seeds

capsules for winter interest. Nonaggressive catmint (*Nepeta*) varieties flower all summer long with minimal maintenance. End the season with showy goldenrod (*Solidago speciosa*). Its bright yellow flowers add a burst of color to the fall garden and provide food for pollinators migrating through or overwintering in your garden. The dried flowers add interest to the winter garden.

Include some ornamental grasses. Their fine foliage is a great addition to the garden and most come into their full glory in fall. Leave them stand for winter and enjoy the motion and texture they provide.

Don't let gardening in the shade stop you from creating season long beauty. Consider shade lovers that add multiple seasons of beauty to those shady spots in the landscape like barrenwort (*Epimedium*), variegated Solomon's seal, and coral bells.

Let your healthy perennials stand in the garden

all winter long. Their dried leaves, stems and seed heads provide winter interest and help attract birds to the garden. They also provide winter homes for many beneficial insects. You'll enjoy the motion and color the birds and standing perennials add to drab winter days.

Start taking pictures of your landscape throughout the year. Then look for opportunities to add year-round perennial beauty to your gardens and landscapes.

Melinda Myers has written more than 20 gardening books, including the recently released *Midwest Gardener's Handbook*, 2nd Edition and *Small Space Gardening*. She hosts *The Great Courses* "How to Grow Anything" DVD series and the nationally-syndicated *Melinda's Garden Moment* TV & radio program. Myers is a columnist and contributing editor for *Birds & Blooms* magazine and her website is www.MelindaMyers.com.

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PERENNIAL PLANTS like Siberian Iris (*Iris sibirica*) tolerate full sun to part shade and provides year-round interest.

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Movie Review: 'Jurassic World Dominion'

By BOB GARVER

Even among the crowded 2010's box office, "Jurassic World" managed to be one of the most successful franchises of the decade, after "Stars Wars" and the MCU. This despite my worries that "Jurassic Park" fandom ended after the disastrous third film in 2001.

The first two films of the new trilogy made a combined \$1 billion at the domestic box office, proving that there is indeed still a place in moviegoers' hearts for man-eating dinosaurs. Now comes conclusion "Jurassic World Dominion," which is opening in the 2020s where almost everything underperforms. But this movie is entertaining enough that I don't see why it can't be an exception.

The movie picks up four years after teenage clone Maisie Lockwood (Isabella Sermon) let a cache of dinosaurs out of her grandfather's compound and into the world. She now lives in an isolated cabin with former dino-keeper Owen (Chris Pratt) and redemption-seeking former exploiter Claire (Bryce Dallas Howard). She needs to be kept hidden away from bad people who want her clone DNA, but she wants to go

on adventures and live life. She needs rescuing roughly one minute after striking out on her own, as she gets kidnapped trying to rescue a raptor, also captured for its DNA.

The world is under attack in this movie, not so much from the original freed dinosaurs, but from dino/locust hybrids that are eating all the planet's crops. That is, all the crops that aren't protected by the BioSyn corporation, led by long-cast-aside original "Jurassic Park" baddie Lewis Dodgson (now played by Campbell Scott). It doesn't take Dr. Ellie Sattler (Laura Dern) long to figure out that the company is up to something shady, and she enlists the help of old friend Alan Grant (Sam Neill) to infiltrate its research facility/dinosaur sanctuary and gather evidence of wrongdoing. The mission should go smoothly, since they have a man on the inside: Dr. Ian Malcolm (Jeff Goldblum) works for BioSyn, not-so-subtly trying to destroy the company from the inside out. Breaking away from the tour led by Ramsay (Mamoudou Athie) is easy enough, but the rest soon goes haywire in true "Jurassic" fashion.

Owen and Claire, for their part, track Maisie to Malta, where they infiltrate a shadowy dinosaur black market, complete with exotic steaks and people gambling on dino-fights. They're too late to retrieve the child, but they enlist the help of helicopter pilot Kayla (DeWanda Wise), who can give them a ride to, where else, BioSyn, where Maisie is

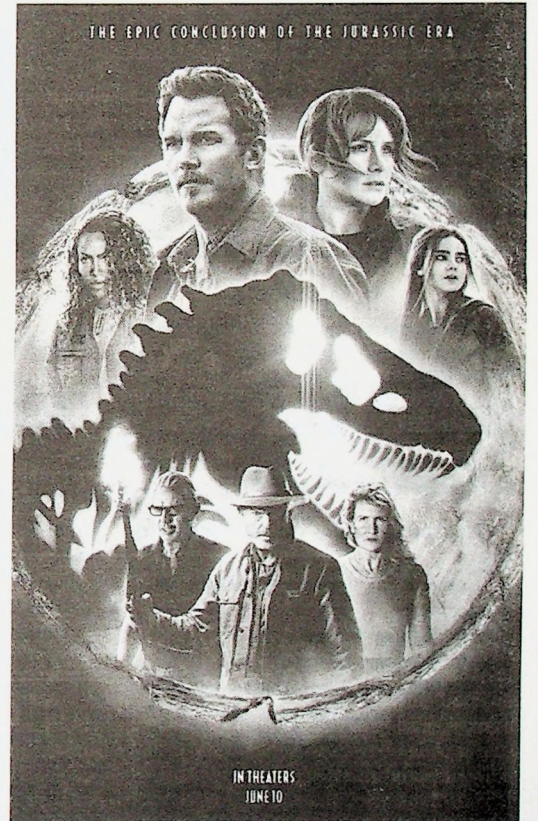
being held by Dodgson and Dr. Henry Wu (B.D. Wong), the latter of whom is having an uncharacteristic attack of conscience. First they have to get out of Malta, which involves one of the true urban-set action sequences of these movies, as they must navigate a treacherous urban grid Jason Bourne-style, evading dinosaurs that are being electronically manipulated into attacking them.

The whole thing ends up at BioSyn, where the characters meet up (they all know each other because they've read each other's books and articles, that's all the introduction they need) and have to navigate a dinosaur-filled compound together. These movies have a way of always coming down to the characters having to survive in a dinosaur-filled compound, and at this point the movie is really not unique from any of the others. But

at least we get the relatively-creative chase scene in Malta, and I'm more inclined to root for the established Dern, Neill, and Goldblum characters than the Pratt, Howard, and Sermon ones that never caught on. I'm not seeing a lot of love for "Jurassic World Dominion" from other critics, and I can understand why, with some clunky dialogue and overly-familiar action after Malta. But this movie was able to hold my interest just enough that I'm willing to give it a recommendation. Given the disappointing nature of the rest of this trilogy, "Jurassic World Dominion" is about as good a conclusion as we could have hoped to get.

Grade: B-

"Jurassic World Dominion" is rated PG-13 for intense sequences of action, some violence and language. Its running time is 146 minutes.



Summer Concert At Eustis Estate: Nina Ott Latin Jazz Quartet

The Eustis Estate, 1424 Canton Ave., Milton, will host jazz pianist/organist and composer, Nina Ott, on Thursday, June 30.

Originally from Detroit, Ott trained classically as a pianist, earning a scholarship and degree in classical piano performance. A love for improvisation and jazz lead her to change her musical course and move to the east coast to be closer to the center of jazz music. She later dove deep into Latin jazz and salsa music which has become central to her sound. She is accompanied by Chris Lopes on bass, and Eguie Castrillo on percussion, and Bertram Lehmann on drums.



The concert begins at 6:30 p.m. Tickets are recommended. Tickets are free; donations are encouraged. Alcohol is not permitted.

Refreshments are available for sale. Bring your own lawn chairs and blankets. Dogs on leashes are welcome. In the event of rain,

the concert will be canceled or rescheduled. Call 617-994-6600 or visit <https://my.historicnewengland.org/13896/eus-nina-ott> for more information.

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Keohane Funeral Home Launches 2022 Plant.Grow.Share. Program

In an annual tradition that has lasted over a decade, Keohane Funeral Home launched another Plant.Grow.Share. program with free gardening workshops on May 23rd in Weymouth and May 27th in Quincy.

A collaborative effort between Keohane Funeral Home, Interfaith Social Services, and Weymouth Food Pantry, the Plant.Grow.Share. initiative encourages backyard growers to donate produce to local food pantries. This community outreach program includes educational workshops, free seedlings, and opportunities for the community to help neighbors in need by donating fresh produce.

John Keohane, co-president of Keohane Funeral Home, said, "With about 16 percent of Massachusetts residents considered food insecure, we are proud to be able to continue this tradition. Plant.Grow.Share. is for everyone—from backyard gardeners wanting to

increase yields to grocery store shoppers willing to share with local food pantry patrons. Our communities have embraced this program for over ten years, and we look forward to their participation once again."

During the free workshops led by local organic farmer Jon Belber of Holly Hill Farm in Cohasset, attendees were provided the knowledge required to garden at home. Participants also received a vegetable seedling from Holly Hill Farm, donated by Keohane Funeral Home.

The workshops at Old South Union Church in Weymouth and Kennedy Senior Center in Quincy were open to the public and led by local organic farmer, Jon Belber of Holly Hill Farm. Free seedlings enable participants to grow produce at home and share the harvest with local food pantries at Interfaith Social Services and Weymouth Food Pantry.

"We have an invaluable

resource in Farmer Jon Belber who is well known for his knowledge and his ability to teach anybody how to grow," said Rick Doane, Executive Director of Interfaith Social Services.

Produce donations are very important to local food pantries. The Plant.Grow.Share. program encourages people to develop their gardening skills through free workshops and seedling giveaways, however, there are also options for those who don't garden. Store-bought produce donations, monetary gifts, and volunteering for local food pantries all help reach food insecure households.

"Sometimes people think a small food donation is not enough, but if ten people make that same small donation, we will have quite a bit to share! Every donation is a meaningful part of bringing our community together to help feed those in need," said Pam Denholm, execu-

tive director of Weymouth Food Pantry.

Learn more about donating fresh produce to local food pantries by visiting their websites:

- Interfaith Social Services — <https://interfaith-socialservices.org/donate-food/>

- Weymouth Food Pantry — [https://www.weymouth-](https://www.weymouth-foodpantry.org/donate-food)

[foodpantry.org/donate-food](https://www.weymouth-foodpantry.org/donate-food)

Donated produce can be from your garden or the supermarket. Volunteers and monetary donations are also welcomed to assist with food insecurity throughout Quincy, Weymouth, and surrounding communities.

For questions or to donate to the Plant.Grow.Share. program, contact:

Rick Doane, executive director of Interfaith Social Services, (617) 773-6203; Joe Reardon, vice president for Community Development and Advance Planning at Keohane Funeral Home, (617) 773-3551; or Pam Denholm, executive director of Weymouth Food Pantry, (781) 635-7783.

PorchFest Saturday Features 100 Performances

3 to 9 P.M. Merrymount, Squantum, Wollaston Hill

This year's PorchFest Quincy will feature more than 100 performances across Merrymount, Squantum, and Wollaston Hill between 3 and 9 p.m. on Saturday, June 25. Performers volunteer their time and talents hosted by volunteer residents in the three festival neighborhoods.

The event schedule and porch locations is available online at porchfestquincy.org.

The PorchFest team encourages attendees to download and print the map and schedule or use the PorchFest website, which will also feature an interactive map and scheduled, as well

as links to performers online content.

The PorchFest team encourages the use of public transportation to and from the festival neighborhoods. Each neighborhood is easily traveled by walking, and biking is also a great option.

Porta Pottys will be available as well as some food options; please check the schedule and map when published on June 21 for details. Please visit our website FAQ for helpful information.

Returning performers include The Gypsy Moths, Up The Downs, Tokyo Tramps, Atlantic Youth Orchestra,

The Copley Cats a cappella group, the Sprints and more.

The event will feature several new performers as well.

"We are excited to be back for a 7th year and we truly appreciate all the performers who volunteer their time and talents and the porch hosts who host our performances on this special day," said Walter Hubley, a cofounder of the event.

"We also appreciate our neighborhood event captains, Stacey Lemay, Bill Lebo, and Kathryn Hubley who coordinate each neighborhood schedule and put in a lot of work."

WHAT'S COOKING

with

Marie & Suzie

By MARIE D'OLIMPIO and SUZIE FALCO



Ann Marie's Shrimp & Scallop Bisque

By MARIE

This recipe for a delicious bisque is made with scallops and shrimp and was emailed to me from my daughter, Ann Marie who likes to cook and different things – and this recipe is a definite winner!! Enjoy!!

Directions and Ingredients:

1 pound shrimp – cut into bite-sized pieces
1 pound bay scallops – cut into bite-sized pieces
5 tablespoon butter
1 large onion, chopped
1 large carrot, peeled and chopped
2 celery stalks, chopped
1 clove garlic, minced
2 tablespoons flour
1 28-ounce can crushed tomatoes (I used Pastene)

6 cups of chicken broth
1 block of cream cheese
2 tablespoons of cooking Sherry

In a soup pot, melt the butter and add all of vegetables and cook for about ten minutes.

Then add flour and cook and stir gently for a few more minutes

Add one 28-ounce can of tomatoes and 6 cups of chicken broth stir well and cook for 30 minutes.

Now add one block of cream cheese and two tablespoons of cooking sherry – cook and stir for 10 minutes

Now add chopped shrimp and chopped scallops.

Cook on low heat for another 15 minutes until shrimp and scallops are cooked.

This would be delicious served with a crusty, artisan bread!

Old Fashioned Fudge Pops

By SUZIE

These fudgicles are dairy free and are sweetened with maple syrup. So healthy for your children (and you, of course.)

These treats are well worth your while and if you are like me, you will enjoy them just as much as the kids.

For the gelatin powder I use Great Lakes or Vital Proteins. Grass fed gelatin is superior and contains numerous health benefits including bone and joint health, as well as muscle, skin and ligaments. Not utilized as much these days but quite important!

SUMMER TIME OLD FASHIONED FUDGE POPS by Danielle Walker

Ingredients:

2 1/4 cups full-fat coconut milk, divided
2 1/2 teaspoons unflavored gelatin

powder

1/2 cup pure maple syrup
1/4 cup natural cocoa powder
1 teaspoon vanilla extract
Dash of sea salt

Instructions:

Place 1/4 cup of the coconut milk in a medium heat-proof bowl.

Sprinkle the gelatin overtop and set aside to bloom for 5 minutes.

Heat the remaining 2 cups of coconut milk, maple syrup, cocoa powder, vanilla extract, and sea salt in a saucepan over medium-high heat for 5 minutes.

Whisk the softened gelatin into the saucepan and continue whisking until all of the gelatin is dissolved.

Pour the liquid into popsicle molds and refrigerate to cool for 1 hour before placing into the freezer for 6 hours, or until set.

Local Groups Receive Better Beaches Grants

Save and Harbor/Save the Bay recently Better Beach Grants to five local organizations.

The organizations and the amount of the grants are:

- Quincy Department of Natural Resources and

Friends of Wollaston Beach, \$14,000 grant for Kids Fest, Tot Lot Events, concerts and senior lunches.

Quincy Asian Night Market, \$3,000.

- Quincycles, \$3,000 grant for Ride the Beach.

- Mattapan Food and Fitness, \$2,500 grant for Mattapan on Wheels.

- NSO Cares, \$2,000 for Summer Safety Fest.

- Boston Circus Guild, \$2,500 grant for Quincy Beach Circus.

36 Residents On Bridgewater Dean's List

Thirty-six students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Bridgewater State University.

They are:

Jelinsky E. Alteus, Bruna S. Barbosa, Kathryn R. Casey, Jenny Chau, Steven Cunningham, Kayla E.

Deady, Felicia M. Fantasia, Tyler J. Fowler, Lauren E. Golden, Leanne Gough, Anil Karki, Bryan Lally, Cuong M. Luong, Lorena Martinez, Matt P. McFarlane, Molly J. McGillivray, Ava M. Meaney, Ashley Murphy, Hannah E. Murphy, Jake S. Murray, Drew

T. Myers, Isabell Ng, Cullen F. O'Connell, Justin Pirelli, Alexa K. Radzik, Courtney H. Ross, Taylor L. Routhier, Fiona G. Smith, Tanya M. Stanford, Peggy Tam, Sydney M. Taylor, Steph C. Teixeira, Brenna M. Tobin, Seamus S. Trainor, Julie Wong, Kerin N. Ziegler.

Patriotic Concert At H-A Common July 9

The City of Quincy will host a "Patriotic Celebration" July 9th from 6 to 8 p.m. featuring an evening of Patriotic and Great American Songbook music performed by Tom LaMark and his Orchestra.

The concert will take place at Hancock-Adams Common, 1305 Hancock St., Quincy Center.

Tom LaMark has played with jazz stars Dizzy Gillespie and Buddy Rich and some of the greats of show business including Aretha Franklin, Donna Summer, The Smothers Brothers and

many more. LaMark has played at Carnegie Hall in New York City and on seven consecutive world cruises on both the Holland America and Royal Viking cruise lines.

The Tom LaMark Orchestra is an experienced ensemble of talented professional musicians and vocalists who have performed at The Museum of Fine Arts, The Boston Ballet, The Boston Symphony, Harvard Business School, Boston College, Northeastern University, The American Ireland Fund, The Children's

Trust Fund, Combined Jewish Philanthropies and for thousands who have hired us for their special occasions.

The public is invited to bring a lawn chairs or sit at one of the cabaret tables and chairs. Food is available for purchase at one of the city's downtown restaurants nearby.

There will be lawn games, beer/wine options for sale and a contest for best "Patriotic" outfits!

For more information on this and upcoming events, follow the City of Quincy across social media.

Social Security Matters

How Does Social Security Disability Work With Private Disability Insurance?

By RUSSELL GLOOR

National Social Security Advisor
at the AMAC Foundation, The Non-Profit Arm
of the Association of Mature American Citizens

Dear Rusty: If someone is collecting long-term disability through their company and the company states the employee also must apply through Social Security, how does this work? Does the amount of Social Security decrease from the amount that the person would normally receive upon retirement? Is long-term disability for life, or just until you are of retirement age? How about for the spouse of that individual? Would it have any impact on them? **Signed: Concerned**

Dear Concerned: It's common for private long term disability (LTD) insurers to require that you apply for Social Security Disability Insurance (SSDI) benefits. Typically, the private LTD benefit will be offset (reduced) by the federal SSDI benefit.

The SSDI benefit amount, if awarded, will be the full Social Security benefit earned up to the point the recipient becomes disabled and unable to work. That means someone on SSDI before full retirement age (FRA) gets their FRA amount earlier (FRA is somewhere between 66 and 67 depending on the year of birth). The SSDI benefit will be based on the disabled person's lifetime earnings history, unreduced for claiming earlier than full retirement age. SSDI will automatically convert to regular SS retirement benefits at the same amount when FRA is attained. Thus, getting SSDI doesn't detract from the person's FRA benefit amount; rather they get their FRA amount earlier.

Social Security disability benefits last for as long as you remain disabled, or up to your SS full retirement age. To be eligible, the disability must be expected to last for at least one year, and the disability must render you unable to perform significant work. You must also have worked recently (usually at least 5 of the last 10 years) to maintain eligibility, and you must have contributed Social Security FICA payroll taxes (or self-employment taxes) from your work earnings. Only very limited work earnings are allowed when collecting Social Security Disability Insurance benefits, and Social Security may periodically require confirmation of continued SSDI eligibility.

Applying for SSDI is a relatively easy process which can be done online at www.ssa.gov/applyfordisability, or by calling SS directly at 1.800.772.1213. Depending on the nature of the disability, it usually takes 3 to 5 months to obtain a determination and, if SSDI is approved, there is a 5 month wait for benefits to start. If the SSDI application is initially denied (about 65% of all initial applications are) you can exercise several levels of appeal, starting with simply requesting a reconsideration by Social Security, followed, if necessary, by a hearing with an independent Administrative Law Judge, a review by the SSDI Appeals Council, or even an appeal to Federal Court. Hopefully, if the applicant is now on private long term disability, the SSDI application will be initially approved.

As for whether the spouse of a person on SSDI is affected, much depends on the spouse's age and how the spouse's own SS retirement benefit compares to the disabled partner's SSDI benefit. Benefits for a spouse are available as early as age 62, but the spouse's personal FRA benefit amount (from their own lifetime earnings record) must be less than 50% of the disabled partner's SSDI amount to get a spousal boost from the disabled spouse. Otherwise, one marriage partner being on SSDI will not affect the other partner's personal Social Security retirement benefit.

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QUINCY COLLEGE administrators including President Richard DeCristofaro (far right) welcomed a group of recent North Quincy and Quincy High School graduates to the college campus where the students registered for fall semester classes. The students are recipients of Quincy College's Early College High School (ECHS) Pathway Scholarship or Quincy College's First Semester Scholarship. For the second straight year, the ECHS Pathway Program is being supported by a significant grant from the State Street Foundation. *Courtesy Photo*

State Street Foundation Renews Support For Early College H.S. Pathway Program

For the second consecutive year, the State Street Foundation has awarded Quincy College a significant grant supporting the Early College High School (ECHS) Pathway program, a joint initiative of the College and Quincy Public Schools launched in 2021 which creates opportunity for the city's high school students who may not otherwise be planning to pursue post-secondary education.

The Foundation's \$528,000 grant for the 2022-23 academic year supplements funding received from the Massachusetts Department of Elementary and Secondary Education and helps cover the cost of all

student program expenses as well as an ECHS transition coach and a guidance counselor at each high school to oversee program implementation and engage and support students in their Early College studies throughout the school year.

In its first year, the ECHS Pathway program was an unqualified success: enrollment featured 150 students from North Quincy High School and Quincy High School and the 40 high school seniors who completed the program this spring were rewarded with full-tuition, first-semester Quincy College scholarships for the college semester beginning in the fall. As many as 250

city high school students are expected to be enrolled in the upcoming second year of the ECHS Pathway program.

The ECHS Pathway program focuses on so-called "high need students" in grades 10-12 – those who are first-generation, from low-income families, are English language learners, and/or have a disability – who may not actively be considering college. Students earn college credit by taking a sequence of college courses taught by QPS instructors as a way to provide students the opportunity to experience post-secondary education while still in high school. Early College High

School courses are aligned with Quincy College courses, and College faculty collaborates with high school instructors to ensure that the courses are delivered as a college course would be.

"We're sincerely grateful for the State Street Foundation's continued, enthusiastic support of the Early College High School Pathway program," said Dr. Richard DeCristofaro, President of Quincy College. "In its first year alone, the Foundation's investment has had an enormous impact on these students. The opportunity for a head start on a college education not only benefits them but our community as well."



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On Friday, June 3, about 11:20 a.m., Officer Millane and numerous other units responded to the U.S. Post Office located at 5 Beach St. on a report of a person threatening to "shoot the place up."

Upon his arrival, Officer Millane tried to gain entry to the post office, but the front door was locked and the lights appeared to be off. Two employees, later identified herself as a supervisor and a manager, did come to the door. The manager stated that a person came into the post office lobby and spoke with him about getting a post office box. The individual did not have the proper documentation to apply for a P.O. box and was advised.

The individual then started to become very agitated and said "I want to get a f@#\$%^ P.O. Box or there is going to be a problem." The manager asked the individual if he was threatening him and the male replied, "Yes, I am threatening you. I am going to shoot this f@#\$%^ place up if I do not get a box."

A Job Well Done

By QUINCY POLICE SGT. KARYN BARKAS
Public Information Officer
Quincy Police Department

The manager became very concerned and scared, not knowing if the male was going to follow through with this threat. The male continued to yell very loudly that he was going to "shoot the place up." The male then left the lobby. The manager locked the doors and all services were shut down because of the threat.

Both the manager and supervisor provided Officer Millane with a description of the suspect: a white male with tattoos on neck, wearing a black MTV t-shirt and jeans.

Moments later, Officer Patten located the suspect in the area of Hancock Street by Woodbine Street. Officer Millane

read the Identification Show Up Instructions to both post office employees and they both said that they understood. Officer Millane drove the supervisor to the area of Woodbine and Hancock where officers had the suspect detained.

The supervisor stated that she was "one hundred percent sure" that he was the person inside the post office threatening to shoot the place up. Officer Hartnett transported the manager to the area of Hancock Street and Woodbine Street. The manager positively identified the detained individual as the person who came inside the lobby of the post office and threatened to shoot the place up.

The 28-year-old male from Weymouth was arrested and charged with threatening to commit a crime. Officer Rolfsen searched a bag that was in the suspect's possession, but no weapon was found. Great work!

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BBB Alert: New Twist In Law Enforcement Impostor Scams

By BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

By impersonating law enforcement, scammers intimidate victims into giving up money or personal information. But once a scam becomes widely reported, con artists need to change up their tricks. Watch out for this new twist: scammers using official-looking credentials to gain trust.

How The Scam Works

You receive a telephone call, email, text message, or a message on social media by someone alleging to be from a law enforcement agency. Scammers claim to represent agencies ranging from the local police to the Federal Bureau of Investigation to Canada Border Services.

These impostors tell you there is a problem that you need to resolve immediately—usually by sending them a fee. In one recent version of this scam, the impostor claims to have seized a package with your name on it. Now, they need a

copy of your driver's license and money to fix the issue. Scammers often threaten fines, arrest, or other penalties in an attempt to scare you into immediate action.

Here's the new twist! If you are hesitant, the scammers will offer to text or email doctored credentials to you, to confirm their identity. The badge is either stolen or has been edited to include a different name. But no matter how convincing the "badge" or the impostor's story may be, always do your research before acting. If you send these scammers money, they will disappear, and you won't be able to get it back.

How to avoid law enforcement impersonator scams

• Don't give into pressure. Even if the threats scare you, do not take immediate action. Hang up or ignore the message. If you think there is a possibility you have been contacted by a real law enforcement agent, call the agency

directly using a non-emergency number to confirm.

• Never send money to strangers. Scammers will probably ask you to wire funds or buy prepaid gift cards to pay the required "fines." Scammers prefer to receive money this way because it is hard to trace. Plus, you won't be able to get your money back.

• Guard your personal information carefully. Don't share information like your address, social security number, or bank account information without first making sure you are speaking to a legitimate official—even if they already have some of your information.

• Don't answer messages from strangers. Don't click on links or attachments in messages from strangers. They are probably part of a phishing scam. Block unsolicited calls and text messages immediately.

BBB Tip: What You Should Know About Payday Loan Ads On Social Media

By BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

If you've ever needed extra cash to tide you over to your next paycheck, you understand the appeal of a payday loan. Now, video ads on places like TikTok are promoting small, short-term loans to a new, young audience—and making them seem cheap and easy.

However, just because it looks simple, doesn't mean it is. Predatory payday lenders are using the platform to make dishonest claims promising instant cash with no credit checks, late fees, or interest rates.

Many times, the advertisers are getting around the rules of the platform. TikTok and Meta have rules restricting ads for short-term/payday loans, but some have found their way through.

Here's what you should know before taking out a payday loan from a social media ad.

Understanding Payday Loans

Featured On Social Media Ads

• Apps might not call it an "interest rate" but that's what it is. Many of the lenders that advertise on TikTok try to skirt regulations by creating new names for their service. By calling their interest rates a "tip" or a "fee," lenders hope you won't notice just how much interest you'll actually pay. Keep in mind that responsible lenders will always be willing to disclose the APR on their loans.

• Payday loans are costly. A two-week payday loan

with a \$15 fee to borrow \$100 translates to an annual percentage rate (APR) of almost 400 percent, according to the Consumer Financial Protection Bureau. That's a huge jump from even a high interest rate credit card, which have rates of about 30 percent.

• Just because it's easy, doesn't make a payday loan a good idea. If you are young or have no access to other types of credit, you are an ideal target for a payday lender. Less-than-scrupulous lenders promote the fact that you don't need a credit check or any paperwork to get a loan. However, that ease can come at a high cost. Before you pursue a payday loan, spend some time shopping around for other options.

• Not all social media ads are truthful. Payday lenders seen on TikTok may promise you instant cash. But if it sounds too good to be true, it probably is. Many companies like these have faced scrutiny for deceptive lending practices, and some may simply be after access to your bank account. Don't believe everything you see on social media ads without doing further research.

• Be sure you can repay the loan. With such high interest rates, many people find themselves stuck in a debt cycle. In addition, payday loans can ruin your credit if you find yourself unable to pay back what you owe.

Better Alternatives To Payday Loans

• Develop a budget with an emergency fund. Create a budget so you know how much money you have coming in and how much you need to pay your bills. This will help

you avoid needing a loan in the first place. Then, set aside some cash each month to build up an emergency fund. Then, you will be covered even if an unexpected expense or an emergency comes up.

• Get credit counseling. If you find yourself unable to pay your bills or if you are caught in a debt cycle due to a high interest loan, get credit counseling. The U.S. Department of Justice has a list of agencies for people looking for debt reduction assistance. In Canada, see this list of Canadian nonprofit credit counselling agencies. Also, check out BBB's tip on credit counseling for more resources.

• Shop around if you need a loan. Compare interest rates, charges, and late fees by reading the fine print before you choose a lender. Pay close attention to both interest rates and loan rollover fees. Credit unions are a good place to take out a small loan with reasonable interest rates. Even credit card cash advances, which usually have interest rates in the double digits, likely have lower interest rates than what a payday lender will offer you. See tips on choosing a bank or credit union.

• Contact creditors if you can't pay on time. If you realize you won't be able to make a payment on time, don't panic. Contact the creditor directly. Many creditors will be willing to work with you to come up with a payment plan that you can afford.

Spot Red Flags When Looking For Deals On Dental Work

By BETTER BUSINESS BUREAU

Dental work can be expensive, insurance or not, and scammers know it. Recently, BBB Scam Tracker has received multiple reports from people who were scammed by con artists claiming to offer expensive dental equipment at discounted rates.

How The Scam Works

You do an online search for a retainer, dental veneers, or another kind of dental equipment. You find an online ad that looks legitimate and click on it to visit the website. The website may feature high-quality customer videos that seem convincing. Best of all, the price is right. You'll only pay a few hundred dollars instead of the thousands your dentist quoted you.

Once you place your order, the charge appears on your credit card, and the business claims your order is on its way. If the order does arrive at all, consumers report that it comes long after your credit card's dispute limit has expired. For example, one victim reported: "The first indication of something not quite right was the length of time to receive the product, which was nearly a full month later! Plus, they advertised a California location, but the tracking number for my package indicated the origin point was China.

When the item finally arrived, the veneers were total junk. You could find teeth like these in any Halloween costume display. It's a total misrepresentation from the online ad."

If you try to contact the company's customer service, you'll quickly find it doesn't exist. The company will be unreachable, and you likely lost all that money for good.

How To Avoid Online Purchase Scams

• Research a company before you buy. A quick internet search of the business name and "complaints" or "scam" could reveal you're dealing with a less than honest vendor. Always do thorough research on a company before making a purchase, especially if it's one you haven't heard of before.

• Be wary of online ads. Search engine results and social media often feature online ads that are eye-catching and appear professional. While many legitimate businesses advertise this way, scammers do too, so don't take every ad at face value.

• Don't fall for deals that are too good to be true. Many a scam victim fell for a great deal that didn't turn out to be great at all. Scammers love to offer high-dollar products (like dental equipment) at prices way lower than the actual cost.

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Real Estate

Quincy Real Estate Transactions June 13 - June 17

Transactions are compiled by the Norfolk County Registry of Deeds

SELLER	BUYER	AMOUNT	ADDRESS
Millicent E. Green	Jessica Olasz	\$440,500.00	100 Cove Way Unit 403
Michelle McDonald	Nithiananthan Rajendran & Mukuntha S. Suberamaniam	\$750,000.00	46 Crane Road
First American National LLC	First American National LLC	\$178,500.00	63 Sherman Street
Eli Sherman & Nittaya Saenbut	Gregory Lebel & Claudia Landazabal	\$525,000.00	27 Nelson Street
Qiang Lu & Shaolu Chen	Sheng Lu	\$395,000.00	166 Quincy Shore Dr. Unit 123
Yi Sun & Yinan Chen	Xuanfei Xiao & Tianyuan Meng	\$530,000.00	142 Quincy Shore Dr. Unit 143
Saeed & Nusrat Ahmed	Cong Yao Jiang & Gigi Jiang & Nancy Mui	\$850,000.00	50 Blossom Road
Robert E. Smith & Roberta M. Bloomer	Patrick J. & Kristen T. Osborne	\$318,000.00	42 Moffat Road
John & Winifred Peterson	Joshua Beeman	\$425,000.00	10 Weston Avenue Unit 113
Paul R. & Lisa Donovan	Khanh H. & Le B. Nguyen	\$820,000.00	93 Ames Street
Wendy Wang	Jitendra Patel	\$650,000.00	39 Botolph Street
Edward T. Cochrane Family Trust	Jeffrey Huang	\$600,000.00	21 Buckley Street
James Lotspeich	Shauna R. McColgan	\$490,000.00	28 Shennen Street
Bryce & Collinson Burgwyn	Italo F. Dovaile & Danielle F. Durso	\$700,000.00	158 Phipps Street
John J. Perry	Thomas J. Joyce	\$280,000.00	179 Presidents Ln Unit 1M
Janice Behenna	Stephen Conley	\$339,500.00	677 Quincy Shore Dr. Unit 106
Aneta Talarczyk	Gia Troisi & Robert Hayhurst	\$765,000.00	45 Colonial Drive
Eric Pow	Benjie Fan	\$550,000.00	144 Quincy Shore Dr. Unit 140
Elizabeth G. Balser	Whiz Herd of Oz LLC	\$788,888.00	16 Sixth Avenue
Traction Investment Group LLC	Hinyeung Lau	\$410,000.00	500 Willard Street Unit 504
Mary E. Maki	Fa Y. Zheng & Qiao Y. Zou	\$860,000.00	190 Glendale Road
Kenneth A. & Patricia L. Connolly	Brendan McDonough & Meghan Feeney	\$380,000.00	677 Quincy Shore Dr. Unit 105
Tramontozzi Quincy Shore Realty Trust	Ngan H. Nguyen	\$682,000.00	140 Quincy Shore Drive
S J Rogers Family Trust	Future Fundamental LLC	\$270,000.00	780 Willard Street Unit C-11

Good Deeds: History Comes Alive At The Norfolk Registry

By WILLIAM O'DONNELL
Norfolk County Register of Deeds

As the dog days of summer approach, it means some significant dates in history are also upon us.

One of these dates is June 20th, which is the day back in 1793 some 229 years ago, that Norfolk County was established. Legislation that was signed by the first Governor of Massachusetts,

John Hancock, established Norfolk County. Yes, that is the same John Hancock who was made famous by the manner in which he signed the Declaration of Independence.

Communities south of Boston sought for many years to separate from Suffolk County. After years of unsuccessful petitions and continued negotiations, a grouping of towns led to the creation of a new Nor-

folk County by the General Court of Massachusetts.

The new Norfolk County went to the south, following the old boundary between Massachusetts Bay and Plymouth Colonies. In the north, it encompassed Roxbury, Dorchester, Hyde Park, Jamaica Plain and Roslindale, all sections of Boston today, as well as Brookline. Norfolk County extended to the Rhode Island border. Norfolk Coun-

ty consisted of twenty-one towns in 1793 with a population of 23,828.

All the land records of the Norfolk County towns, including those communities that would later become a part of Boston, are recorded at the Norfolk Registry of Deeds. All these records, back to 1793, are available for viewing and research whether by computer via the internet or by the old fashion way of go-

ing through the books at the Norfolk Registry of Deeds in Dedham. The hand written records recorded at the Norfolk Registry of Deeds between 1793 and 1900 have all been transcribed to make the history and information in these land record readable.

What is the history that has come alive in these documents? The best example involves another significant date in history, the 4th

of July. The second President of the United States, John Adams, predicted way back then, that this country would celebrate its Independence Day with "pomp and circumstance." Ironically, President John Adams died on July 4, 1829.

There are land records at the Norfolk Registry of Deeds, of not just President John Adams, but three other Presidents of the United

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NOAA Forecasts A Hot Summer: How That Can Impact Trees

Scientists with the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) are predicting a hot summer for most states in the United States, and above-average rainfall for southern New England.

The NOAA seasonal forecast is released quarterly, and predicts the probability of storms, temperatures and precipitation.

In New England, NOAA predicts a 50-60% chance of a hotter summer, and for the southern part of the region, a 33-40% chance of higher-than-normal rainfall.

"Trees in Massachusetts are showing evidence of prolonged summer heat and inadequate rainfall from years' past," says Quincy

arborist George Barth, an ISA Certified Arborist at Hartney Greymont, a Davey company. "Since we've already seen some record-setting heat this spring, I suspect these conditions to only worsen."

In fact, the Northeast is one of the fastest warming parts of the country — according to Dr. Dan Herms of The Davey Institute. Between 1895 and 2011, the average temperature increased by about 2° F, which

can cause changes in landscape plants, more drought and more severe storms.

"Globally, 2021 was one of the hottest years on record," says Herms. And locally, it set records too. In both Boston and Providence, R.I., 2021 was the warmest year ever recorded, with average daily temperatures of 54.4°F and 54.1°F, respectively.

Severe heat and drought conditions weaken trees and can eventually kill them. Barth says that to survive, trees need attention during as well as after periods of drought. Selecting varieties most suitable for the Northeast climate will help ensure that new trees are able to fight diseases, pests, and stay healthy.

Top 10 Large-Canopied Shade Trees For The Northeast

These trees are hardy, tolerant of urban and suburban conditions, low-maintenance, and able to endure

drought conditions:

1. Japanese pagodatree
2. Lacebark elm
3. Northern catalpa
4. Ginkgo
5. Hop hornbeam
6. Japanese zelkova
7. Burr oak
8. Thornless honeylocust
9. Chinkapin Oak
10. Hedge maple

There are other excellent native and non-native ornamental trees for the Northeast that can also withstand drought conditions. Your local arborist can help you select the right tree for the right spot.

NOAA also released its 2022 hurricane outlook this week. The agency is predicting another year of up to 21 tropical storms or hurricanes out of the Atlantic. By comparison, a typical Atlantic hurricane season may see up to 14 named storms. Last year there were 21 named tropical storms, and in 2020 there were 30. NOAA stresses its outlook is "for

overall seasonal activity and is not a landfill forecast."

"Whether a major storm, drought or pest, it's important for everyone to take proactive steps to keep trees healthy," says Barth. "Regular tree maintenance can mean a world of difference in the health of your trees and safety of your property."

For more information or to schedule a free consultation, contact Barth's office or (866) 489-8310.

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HIGH ROLLERS – The Neighborhood Club of Quincy Mixed Bowling League recently celebrated the season at the annual Bowling Banquet at the club. This year's theme was "Pirates of the Caribbean." Prizes were awarded to the top bowlers. The winners are pictured above from the left Bobbi Leary, Ellen McWade, Karen O'Connell, Peter Smialek, Barbara LeBel, Deanna Seymourian, Barbara Fitzgerald, Maureen Collins and Jeff Bertman.

Courtesy Photo

City Eyeing Electric Vehicles, Buses

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tric ones as the older models are retired through 2034.

Currently, the city has one electric vehicle in its fleet, a sedan used by the Quincy Fire Department, Walker said. The Fire Department has a charging station for that vehicle and the garage at the under-construction public safety headquarters will have capacity to charge an all-electric fleet.

The proposed \$3 million bond would be used to purchase both electric and non-electric vehicles.

Electric vehicles to be purchased include two to four school buses at an estimated cost of \$900,000. The city in February was awarded a \$260,000 grant from the EPA to replace four buses with electric models. Walker said the city is seeking additional grant funding to cover the purchase cost of the school buses and, if that grant is received, the city would use money in the bond to acquire additional vehicles.

The city is looking at

potential locations where the electric school buses could be charged, Walker stated. He suggested charging stations could be built at any one of the city's public schools if needed.

Other electric vehicles that will be purchased include one to three Ford F-150s for the Department of Natural Resources at an estimated cost of \$150,000; one to two transit vans for the Department of Public Buildings for \$100,000; one or two passenger vans for the Council of Aging for \$150,000; and two sedans for the Department of Inspectional Services for \$100,000.

The city also plans to purchase new police cruisers and police equipment at an estimated cost of \$500,000 using the bond. Walker said the city would purchase eight to ten cruisers with that money, and they may be electric or hybrid models.

Other new vehicles to be purchased, which may or may not be electric, include

a utility truck (\$48,000) and street sweepers (\$200,000) for the Department of Public Works and two Ford F-250s for the Traffic, Parking, Alarm and Lighting Department (\$150,000).

Five other vehicles will be purchased for which there is no electric equivalent on the market today, Walker said. Those include a bucket truck for the TPAL Department (\$250,000) and one for the Department of Natural Resources (\$185,000), a Ford F-350 for the Natural Resources Department (\$70,000) and two Ford F-550s for the DPW (\$150,000).

DiBona, who cosponsored a 2017 resolution along with Councillor Nina Liang and then Councillor Joseph Finn asking city officials to consider purchasing electric vehicles, thanked the administration for its work to date on the matter.

"I just want to say thank you, because working together here you're trying

to make metrics meet and get into the next phase of things," DiBona said.

Mahoney asked the administration to provide information on which employees are allowed to take vehicles home with them, and the city's policy for doing so, given the increase in gas prices seen in recent months.

"Some of these people don't live in the city of Quincy and they're driving their vehicles home and putting wear and tear on the cars, and now the gas prices are going up. People are noticing vehicles are in other towns," Mahoney said. "It should be something we're paying attention to."

Walker said the city's police and fire chiefs are allowed to drive city vehicles home, along with the commissioner of public works and director of inspectional services. Other employees of the Police Department and DPW who are on call can take city vehicles home as well.

Mary Fitzgerald Earns B.A. From Connecticut College

Mary Elizabeth Fitzgerald of Quincy was recently awarded a Bachelor of Arts degree from Connecticut

College in New London, CT.

Fitzgerald majored in dance.

Maeve Collins Inducted Into National Leadership Society

Saint Anselm College student Maeve Collins of Quincy, in the class of 2023, has been accepted into Sigma Alpha Pi, a national society of leadership and success, for the 2021-2022 academic year.

Membership in Sigma Alpha Pi is by invitation based on criteria determined by local chapter leaders. Students are selected by their college based on their academic standing and/or leadership potential.

Speaker Mariano Concerned About 'Ghost' Guns

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problematic.

"I'm shocked that we don't see more enterprising young criminals get into the business of manufacturing these guns, because it's an unbelievable way to arm yourself without being on anyone's radar screen. So, we want to take a look at that and ways we can stop that or slow that down or control it. There has to be some sort of control over it."

"Other than that – we took the lead on a lot of the things they're talking about now in Washington. We've already done all that stuff. We have a red-flag law."

Mariano called the state's gun laws his best achievement during his time in the House.

"We put the red-flag law in 2018 and I was on the conference committee for that. I consider that the best thing I've done up there, the gun laws that we have today," he said. "We have the strongest gun laws of just about any state in the country and everything that's in the Senate bill that they're talking about, we've already done. We don't allow bump stocks. No expanded magazines."

"And we changed the licensing. We kept the presumption in the Second Amendment that you have a right to get a gun license, but we also said that the chief has the authority as he reviews your application to question your competency to have a permit, and the courts will ultimately decide that. A judge will decide who's right on that."

"It respects the Second Amendment so all those Second Amendment folks who say, 'we have a right to bear arms,' well you do have a right, but we have a right to regulate too, and I think it's a great compromise that we worked a long time on and it's working. It's working in Massachusetts."

While the state has a red-flag law on the books already, the House speaker said that "It hasn't been used enough." He noted proposed

legislation – approved by the House shortly after the interview – would require the Department of Public Health to make information about the law more readily available to the public.

"The mental health bill we're voting on today has a provision in there that asks DPH to create a public information program about the red flag law that exists so that anyone who knows of someone who has gun permits and guns who is concerned about their mental health or their stability, can submit an inquiry and we'll check it out," Mariano said.

"The chief of police will check it out, make sure that nothing is going on that's changed this person's behavior."

Among other provisions, the House bill includes several measures to improve behavioral health services for the state's children. It will also help police officers responding to behavioral health crises.

"The thing that bothered me was the huge suicide rate – the largest killer of kids between the ages of 10 and 14 is suicide and we have to do something about that. It's been exacerbated by the pandemic and the isolation kids felt," Mariano said.

"So, we do a lot with school-based programs and juvenile mental health in this bill. We force schools to be more active. We force the police to start, when they go out on calls, to evaluate the calls for potential problems and if there are potential problems, there's money to send a health care professional out with them."

Mariano described the behavioral health legislation as "an attempt to equalize health care with mental health." He said it complements legislation previously passed by the Senate.

"We're doing a bill that's pretty significant. It complements what the Senate did. We didn't want to get into a fight with the Senate over mental health. It would be nonproductive," he said.

23 Quincy Residents Graduate Bridgewater State University

Twenty-three Quincy residents recently earned undergraduates degrees from Bridgewater State University.

They are:

Bruna S. Barbosa, Quiana Blair, Kathryn R. Casey, Bogdan L. Corrao, Steven Cunningham, Kayla E. Deady, Felicia M.

Fantasia, Leanne Gough, Emilia M. Guarente, Bao B. Huynh, Anil Karki, Kaylen Kozlowski, Qihong Li, Melanie R. Marhefka, Maeve C. Moran, Cullen F. O'Connell, Justin Pirelli, Valerie Rabarisoa, Taylor L. Routhier, Mike C. Travers, Noah B. Wasserman, Andrea Weng and Weijing Wu.

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Mariano: Gambling Bill Should Include College Sports

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view, Mariano, a Quincy Democrat, said it was frustrating that the Senate would not vote on the House legislation, despite the strong support of the bill among members of the House.

"It's frustrating that I have that strong of a majority and they won't bring it up for a vote, so I have no idea where their vote is," Mariano said. "So, they're going to try to convince me that they don't have the votes to pass it, so that's why they have to have their changes."

"But I'll tell you, I can't see doing this and going through all this trouble to set up a mechanism to monitor it and not do college sports. It doesn't make any sense to me. Why you would turn the two most lucrative betting events — college football and college basketball — over to the black market, makes no sense to me."

"So, we just have to wait and let it play out. This is one of those things that

won't be resolved until July 31 at about midnight."

House and Senate leadership have different views on sports betting, Mariano said, and leaders in the House know that residents can already place their bets online through offshore websites.

"I guess it's where you come from. If you look at the leaders in the Senate and you look at the leaders in the House, I come from a blue-collar community where sports betting has been a way of life since I had a football card in eighth grade picking ten winners... We grew up with that," Mariano said.

"In Newton and some of the towns that the leaders in the Senate come from, they weren't exposed to any of this, so they don't understand that you can go on your computer now and bet all this stuff off the coast of the US. Guys in Costa Rica will take all your money and they're not worried about whether or not you have a gaming addiction or any-

thing.

"We tailored our bill to be able to do what you can do on a computer, because you can do this anywhere, and they do."

Legalizing sports betting would help ensure the survival of the state's casinos, Mariano added. It would also help DraftKings, a Massachusetts-based company that offers daily fantasy and sports betting, add more jobs in the state.

"Encore already has their sportsbook built. When they built the casino, they built the sportsbook, and it's sitting there vacant because they can't use it. MGM is ready to open a sportsbook, but they can't," Mariano said.

"The biggest sin is DraftKings. DraftKings is a Massachusetts company that started here with 300 employees. They're now up to 1,200, but they can't keep their accounting business in Massachusetts because we don't allow gaming and they have branched into

gaming in other states. So, we force them to offload a direct function of their business because we don't allow it. They want to expand."

Most senators would support the House bill, Mariano said, but Senate leadership is opposed to gaming.

"Most of the senators agree with our bill. The leadership of the Senate hates gaming, period, but we have a lottery. The lottery still produces a lot of money so it's sort of like, let's be honest with each other. How can you be against gaming and then support the lottery?" Mariano said.

"You can't be a little bit pregnant. We're either a gaming state or we're not a gaming state, so the decision was pretty simple."

Prohibiting betting on college sports would cut state revenue from sports gaming in half, he stated, but would not stop residents from betting on college athletics.

"If you don't include college sports, the revenue drops from about \$60 million a year to about \$30 million, in which case, what's the rationale for setting up this whole bureaucratic system to monitor gaming in sports for half the revenue,"

Mariano said.

"What really frosts me, you leave out college football, college basketball. The two biggest, biggest — bigger than professional basketball and professional football betting is college. You're turning that over to the black market. When you say you can't bet on college games in Massachusetts, you think people are not going to bet? They're going to go to the bookies, so the black market will still exist."

"One of the things we've learned from watching the marijuana stuff is since we made it legal, sales in the retail shops have gone up unbelievably. We were at \$3 billion last year. The projection was to be about a billion, so we're way ahead. People have left the black market and now they go into the store... they're selling it and the weed dealer who was on the corner is out of business."

Mariano said the same thing could happen if sports betting were legalized, "but there are so many bad things" in the Senate bill. The ban on advertising, for example, would drive DraftKings out of the state.

"There is a ban on advertising, which will kill

DraftKings; 1,200 jobs out the window in Massachusetts, because they'll leave if we ban advertising," Mariano said. "If they stay, if we accept it, they're going to expand right here in Massachusetts. They'd be up around 3,000 jobs pretty quickly."

In addition, he said the process the Senate took to approve its bill makes it difficult for the House to negotiate on final legislation.

"They passed it. They wouldn't allow any amendments. There were no votes. It was done on a voice vote, so I'm negotiating against myself," Mariano said. "I don't even know what they don't like in our bill. I just know that there is a lot of things they're doing that don't make a lot of sense to me."

Since 2018, when the US Supreme Court struck down a law prohibiting sports betting in all but a handful of states, more than two dozen states and the District of Columbia have voted to legalize sports betting. Connecticut, New Hampshire, New York and Rhode Island are among those states to legalize sports betting in recent years.

Subway Service Changes Including Red Line In Effect

Weekday MBTA subway service changes took effect Monday on the Red, Orange, and Blue Lines and will continue through the summer.

The T said the changes are the result of staffing challenges among the ranks of subway dispatchers in the MBTA's Operations Control Center. With a limited number of dispatchers, these new timetables allow the MBTA to schedule dispatchers in compliance with Federal Transit Administration directives, and continue delivering service in a safe and reliable manner.

These changes, which mirror typical Saturday schedules for the subway, affect weekday service only. There will be no changes to Red, Orange, or Blue Line weekend service, and no changes to any Green Line

service.

As of last week, ridership on the Red and Orange Lines remained approximately 50 percent below pre-pandemic levels while Blue Line volume was about 44 percent below pre-COVID ridership.

The MBTA is exploring multiple options to add capacity at the Control Center, including an aggressive recruitment campaign, offering bonuses, and potentially hiring back former dispatchers.

If dispatch capacity permits, there may be days when the MBTA can increase the number of trains in service. And as soon as sufficient dispatch capacity exists, the MBTA will revert to its previous level of service.

There is one exception to the revised summer schedule. In the afternoon and

evening of Monday, July 4, the MBTA will provide regular weekday service in order to accommodate people attending Independence Day festivities.

Changes on the Red Line which has four stops in Quincy:

Red Line weekday trains will operate every 14 to 15 minutes on both the Ashmont and Braintree branches and seven to eight minutes between trains on the "trunk" of the Red Line between Alewife and JFK/UMass stations.

Red Line weekday summer service is typically nine to 10 minutes between trains during morning and evening peak periods, 10 to 12 minutes between trains during off-peak hours, and every five to six minutes between trains on the "trunk" of the Red Line between Alewife and JFK/UMass stations.

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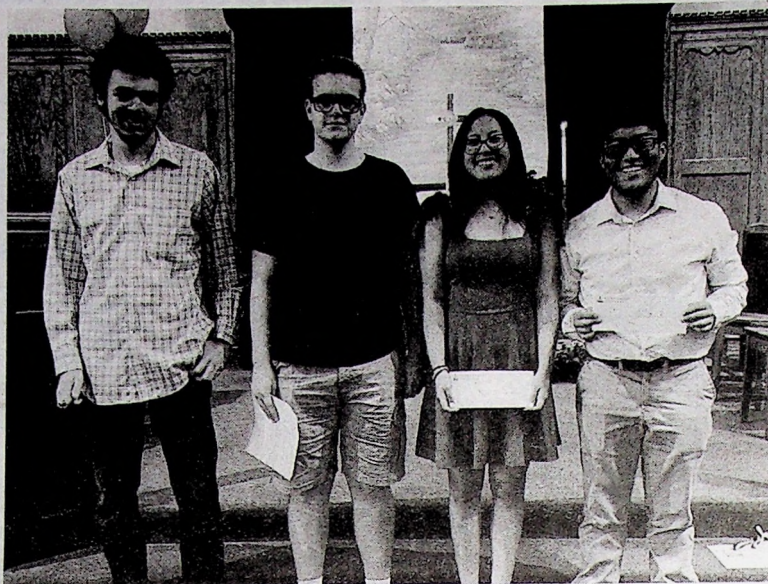
First Baptist Church of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Quincy, welcomes everyone to its services and events.

For those who have not fully vaccinated, continue to wear a mask and safe distance.

Changing Season was the theme for Children's Sunday. A highlight of the service was presentation of scholarships. The Robert Mahn Sr. Scholarship was presented to Meira Baliton, Max Mahn, and Rodney Parisien. The Donald H. MacKenzie Scholarship was presented to Meira Baliton, Ben Billings, Delaney Gardiner, and Rodney Parisien. The Mildred Houghton Memorial Scholarship was presented to Caleb Baliton and Meira Baliton.

A barbeque on the church lawn followed the presentation.

The online dial-in/Zoom weekly meeting schedule is as follows: (see the church



FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH of Wollaston, 81 Prospect Ave., Quincy, recently awarded scholarships. Recipients are (from left to right) Rodney Parisien, Max Mahn, Meira Baliton and Caleb Baliton

Courtesy Photo

website: <http://firstbaptist-churchofwollaston.org/>.

- Sunday 9:30 a.m. Vietnamese Worship Service at Fellowship Hall: Pastor Duc
- Sunday 10:30 a.m.

English Worship Service – Guest Pastor

- Friday 11 a.m. Prayer Group Meeting

First Baptist Church is easily accessed. For events

and fellowship hall, use right-hand driveway. For services in the sanctuary, use left-hand driveway. For other inquiries, call church office at 617-472-0824.

READERS FORUM

Forbes Hill Park: Community Building Strategy

We, the members of Friends of Forbes Hill Park neighborhood group, offer this letter to summarize our recent efforts to advocate for preserving and restoring Forbes Hill Park as it relates to the planned renovation project at the neighboring golf course. In addition to advocating for the park, many residents have voiced legitimate concerns about the potential detrimental impact that the expanded scale of the planned golf course operation will have on the quality of life in the neighborhood.

The issues of concern that have surfaced regarding the design of both the park and golf course are interrelated and stem from an initial design and planning process undertaken by the City that moved forward without adequate consideration nor inclusion of community voices. To resolve these issues, a renewed effort to re-engage the community is needed.

In support of the Forbes Hill Park, the concept site plans show encroachment into park for parking that would serve the golf course and require the removal of several mature trees. Through our petition, we have received over 300 signatures objecting to these elements of the plan because they will result in a loss of open space, recreational opportunities, and tree cover in the park. Instead, petitioners requested that the City preserve the open space and restore the green space in the park. Also, over 90 concerned residents have joined our Facebook page in support of this objective.

In summary, the community finds that annexation of the park for parking that benefits the golf course is not an acceptable design strategy. The number and breadth of resident feedback demonstrates the enormous value that this park offers as a recreational resource, prized open and green space and respite for Quincy families.

We have also made the City aware of the current poor condition of the park's open and green space due to years of inattention and deferred maintenance. We have therefore requested that the City prioritize the implementation of independent assessments of the legacy storm water issues and urban forest health to determine the scope of these maintenance issues. In response, the City has agreed with these priorities and to revise the parking layout to save the trees on the southern border of the park. The City has also stated that they are striving to develop a care taking strategy to restore the urban forest at the park that will be a model for addressing the City wide urban forest moving forward. We appreciate the City's attention to this and look forward to working with them on these issues.

Regarding the planned design of the new clubhouse and parking lot at the neighboring golf course, residents are concerned about the enlarged scale, exorbitant cost, placement of the new clubhouse with respect to the Forbes Hill neighborhood, operation of the enlarged restaurant including the service of alcohol, increased traffic, parking, security, expanded hours of operation, noise and lack of information

regarding alignment with climate change and sustainability initiatives.

The sheer volume of feedback in reaction to the concept plans illustrate the complex nature of planning a major renovation of an enlarged clubhouse with an expanded year-round operation within a dense urban setting in the middle of a quiet neighborhood with limited vehicular access.

Given the inherent complexity of the issues raised to date, the City acknowledged that our feedback has caused them to modify their approach to the project planning moving forward. They have reported that, aside from the storm water, traffic and tree studies, the project planning has slowed with the intent to allow for a renewed effort to initiate community engagement into the planning process.

To this end, we seek to work collaboratively with the City through a series of community meetings conducted by an experienced independent facilitator to collectively establish 'guiding principles' for this project that will inform a revised conceptual master plan. Once compiled to the satisfaction of the community, the master plan will be used as a map to guide planning future renovation projects. From there, we seek to obtain a seat at the table during future planning sessions via a resident steering committee and small focus groups to verify that the planning proceeds in accordance with the 'guiding principles.'

We are encouraged by the City's willingness to slow the project planning schedule, engage the community directly, reassess the values of this project and set a new path forward. We believe that community building in this way will result in a better design for the neighborhood and serve as a model for future public projects.

To summarize, through collaboration, we seek to encourage the City to 'right size' the renovation project at the golf course so that it won't overwhelm the neighborhood nor overburden the taxpayer while enhancing recreational opportunities, restoring the open and green space at the park and golf course for the benefit of all Quincy residents.

Furthermore, community building via a thoughtful and inclusive design process will reinvigorate interest in these shared amenities to ensure that the neighborhood will thrive in generations to come.

We look forward to working with the City on this important community project.

Sincerely,

Maria Mulligan, David and Meg Potter, Ryan and Sarah Edwards, Jeanne Owens, Phillip Boone

Friends of Forbes Hill Park, a neighborhood group that promotes the preservation and restoration of the park's open and green space.

Sign our petition: bit.ly/forbeshillpetition

Join our Facebook group: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/saveforbeshillpark>

Join our email list: saveforbeshillpark@gmail.com

Bethany Congregational Church

Bethany Congregational Church invites the public to its regular service Sunday, June 26.

Rev. Patrick McCorkle will preach his sermon, music will be provided by Paul Frazer. Coffee Hour will be held after services, with coffee, light refreshments and good conversation. There will be no more church school until September.

The Sunday Service will be available online via YouTube. Go to the church website for the link, or directly to YouTube. For all events at Bethany Church, masks and sanitizer are available.

Broad Horizons Preschool is open and accepting students both full and part-time, for both the summer session and for the fall. To inquire and/or fill out an application, go to the church website at broadhorizonsbethany.com or call 617-471-0022.

Bethany Congregational Church is located at 18 Spear St., Quincy. The church website is: bethanycongregchurch.org. Email address is: bethanycongregchurch@yahoo.com. Telephone number is: 617-479-7300.

Open House Sunday At Broad Horizons Preschool

Broad Horizons Preschool at Bethany Congregational Church, 18 Spear St., Quincy, will hold an open house Sunday, June 26 from 1 to 3 p.m.

Meet the staff, explore the classrooms and enroll children. There are openings for children ages 2.9 to 5 years old for summer and fall programs.

There will also be fun activities for children.

Victoria Talarico On Dean's List At Marywood University

Victoria Talarico, daughter of Linda and Vincenzo Talarico of Quincy has been named to the Dean's List for the fall and spring semesters at Marywood University, Scranton, PA.

A second year architect-

ture student in the Reap College of Professional Studies, Victoria is also a member of the Marywood Pacer's Women's Soccer team and Student Representative for her grade.

Phoebe Linnell On Dean's List At William & Mary

Phoebe Linnell of Quincy has been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at the College of William & Mary in Williamsburg, VA.

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Two Quincy Students On Holy Cross Dean's List

Two students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at the College of

the Holy Cross in Worcester. They are: Meghan Stravin, Class of 2024; and Grant Ward, Class of 2023.

READERS FORUM

Never Forget William R. Caddy

After having lived in Quincy and knowing Quincy's rich history of military heroism, I know that Quincy always honors its many heroes. Once again Quincy veterans gathered to honor Medal of Honor recipient William R. Caddy and remembered his heroism during the WWII Battle of Iwo Jima that posthumously earned him the Congressional Medal of Honor.

Whenever I drive down Quincy Shore Drive, I look to my right at Caddy Memorial Park and remember the sacrifice made by a young 19-year-old North Quincy kid named William Caddy at Iwo Jima on March 3, 1945

buddies next to him when a grenade landed in their foxhole and he jumped on it saving the other two guys.

Every year, Mayor Koch quotes General George Patton, "It is wrong and foolish to mourn the lives of these men but rather we should thank God that such men lived."

As long as there are men and women willing to serve their country in both war and peacetime, America will survive anything even these troubling and divisive times we are now experiencing.

We must never forget the likes of William Caddy.

Sal Giarratani
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Lt. Governor Polito, Marilyn Nestor Honored At Flag Day Parade



MAYOR THOMAS KOCH, chairman of the Quincy Flag Day Committee, and Lt. Gov. Karyn Polito wave to spectators along the parade route near Central Middle School June 11. Polito was honored as this year's Flag Day Parade grand marshal. *Quincy Sun Photos/Robert Bosworth*



MARILYN NESTOR, a longtime volunteer for the Koch Club, waves from a float recognizing her as this year's recipient of the Richard J. and Simone N. Koch Youth Service Award. The Quincy Flag Day Parade was started by the Koch Club more than 70 years ago. "Marilyn played a large role in promoting opportunities for girls and young women through the Koch Club recreational programs," said Mayor Thomas Koch, chairman of the Flag Day Parade. "She helped run the bowling and softball programs that benefited thousands of Quincy females through the many years she volunteered," the mayor added.



NORTH QUINCY HIGH SCHOOL quiz show team that won this year's WGBH state competition waves along the route of the 71st annual Quincy Flag Day Parade June 11. The students are wearing their Quiz Show champion medals.



SCHOOL COMMITTEE MEMBER Paul Bregoli claps as the Quincy-North Quincy High School combined marching band proceeds along the Quincy Flag Day Parade route near Central Middle School June 11.



KRUNCHIE, an Aleppo Shrine Clown, makes new friends along the Quincy Flag Day Parade route June 11. More Quincy Flag Day Parade photos Page 16 and Page 17 go to [quincysun.com](#)

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Willingness To Learn Fueled NQ Boys' Volleyball Success

18-Straight Wins,
State Tournament
Finalist Hallmarks
Of Historic Season

By TOM JOYCE

The North Quincy High boys' volleyball team capped off an excellent season last week.

The Raiders didn't get the result they wanted in the final contest of the season, but they came close.

After dropping their first game of the season, the Raiders enjoyed immense success; they won every single game they played up until they made it to the MIAA Division 2 state championship game.

In the championship game June 15, the top-seeded Raiders faced No. 3 Westfield at a neutral site (Worcester North). Although it was a highly-competitive match, the Raiders came up short. The Raiders dropped the contest 3-0, bringing an end to their season. With the loss, the Raiders concluded their season with an 18-2 record – a season that included an 18-game winning streak.

Raiders head coach Megan Johnston said that she was proud of her team for the success they enjoyed this season, making it as far as they did.

"The biggest thing I commend them for is their hunger for the game of volleyball and their ability to apply what I was teaching them," she said. "Ev-



NORTH QUINCY boys' volleyball team had a historically successful season. The Raiders won 18 straight games - the most in program history - and reached the finals of the Div. 2 state tournament becoming the first NQ team to do so since girls' volleyball in 2002. The Raiders bowed to Westfield June 15 in the Div. 2 final. Front row left to right: Nathan Caldwell, Danny Au, Adam Huang, Oliver Smith, Bobby Lin, Gavin Yu and Nicholas Tang. Back row: Head Coach Megan Johnston, Liam Bailey, Anthony Chiu, Cameron Johnston, Dylan Clifford, Justin Liu and Ben Walinjom.

Photo Courtesy North Quincy High School

ery day was a day to learn. Even when we won, we took things away of how we could get better. They had trust in a new coach, they trusted me to teach them. They took it and they ran with it. I think that's what made them successful: their willingness to learn from a new coach."

As a first-year head coach, Johnston said the team's success was a "pleasant surprise" to her, and that she was impressed by how well they performed.

"It's a pleasant surprise.

It wasn't expected. I had watched most of the boys play the year before. Cameron had started halfway through the season after getting called up from JV. When the opportunity came up, I said I'd give it a shot and see where it takes us. It's exciting to see that doors could open for these boys now--whether it's a college looking at them--it's about the boys."

The first set of the Westfield game was the most competitive of the bunch, and its final outcome came

down to the last few points.

Although the Raiders trailed for much of it, they were within striking distance late. Trailing 23-22, the Raiders had a serving error that gave the ball back to their opponent. And when Westfield had the chance to serve, it capitalized; the team closed out the first set with an ace to win it 25-22.

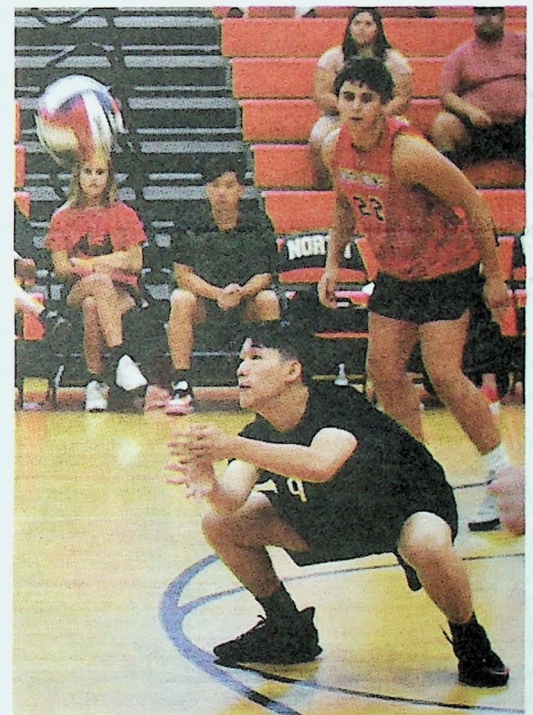
The second set was, for the most part, evenly-matched. The difference maker, however, was a pair of 3-0 runs for Westfield. The team's second 3-0 run gave it some breathing room -- taking its lead from 17-14 to 20-14. While the Raiders were able to add some points to the scoreboard, they weren't able to make a comeback. Each side added five more points, so Westfield took the set 25-19.

Even though the Raiders also dropped the third set, they started it off with the lead thanks to some strong serving. The Raiders found themselves up 4-1 early on

thanks to three straight aces from junior Bobby Lin.

However, the Raiders

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ADAM HUANG returns a Westfield volley for North Quincy in the Div. 2 state championship June 15 at Worcester North High School. Looking on is teammate Nathan Caldwell.

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NORTH QUINCY boys' volleyball comes together after winning a point against Westfield in the Div. 2 state championship. From left: Liam Bailey (#16), Cameron Johnston (#24), Bobby Lin (#11) and Adam Huang (#9).

Willingness To Learn Fueled NQ Boys' Volleyball Success

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ers weren't able to keep that lead. Over the next 30 points, Westfield managed to outscore them 23-7 and take a 24-11 lead. Although the Raiders responded to that with a 5-0 run, it wasn't enough to make a comeback. Westfield went on to win the set 25-16 to take home the state title.

With the sweep, Westfield finished off its season by winning 33 consecutive sets.

Sophomore Cameron Johnston was among those who had strong performances for the Raiders in this match; he had a team-high eight kills against Westfield.

To make it to the state title game, the Raiders had to beat Milford at a neutral site (Framingham High) two days prior. The Raiders won that one 3-1 and had strong play up front from Johnston (15 kills) and junior Dylan Clifford (13 kills). Plus, Lin had 39 assists.

The win against Milford

was the team's 18th consecutive win of the season. Before losing to Westfield in the state title game, the Raiders' last loss came to Greater New Bedford Voke in their opener back in April. The Raiders lost that one 3-0.

The Raiders also narrowly avoided a rematch with Greater New Bedford in the state finals. However, Westfield beat Greater New Bedford in the state semifinal to advance to the title round.

The Raiders showed immense improvement this year compared to last season. While they were a strong team that made it to the playoffs in 2021, they weren't quite the team they

were this season; they went 9-7 overall in the spring 2021 season.

Although the Raiders' season came to a close, they are in a strong position heading into next year. They had a young team this season and should have many of their key contributors coming back next spring; they only had three seniors on their roster this year.

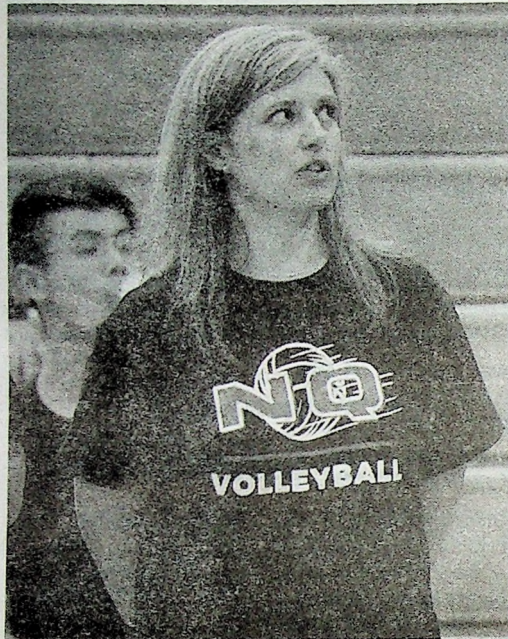
"It's exciting. Me being a new coach, I didn't know what to expect from the competition," Coach Johnston said. "I could see their potential, but I didn't always know how we'd stand against another team. Knowing we come back next year really only

losing one from the roster of the state final game, it's exciting. We're gonna start, hopefully, from where we left off. I think our last game gave us the visual of where we want to be. They were the best team we saw all season. They weren't just athletes playing volleyball, they were volleyball players. Now that we've seen the highest level of competition, I think that will drive us even more knowing what we want to accomplish in the end."

The roster for the Raiders this season included: senior defensive specialist/libero Adam Huang, senior right-side hitter/libero Danny Au, junior defensive

specialist Gavin Yu, junior Jeffrey Tam, junior outside hitter/defensive specialist Nicholas Tang, junior setter Bobby Lin, sophomore middle blocker Anthony Chiu, senior outside hitter Oliver Smith, junior outside hitter Liam Bailey, junior outside hitter/setter Nathan Caldwell, junior middle blocker Dylan Clifford, and sophomore right-side hitter Cameron Johnston. The team's head coach is Megan Johnston.

This marked the first time in 20 years that a North Quincy High volleyball team made it to the state championship game; the girls' team made it that far in 2002.



"I THINK OUR last game gave us the visual of where we want to be," said North Quincy boys' volleyball head coach Megan Johnston. "They (Westfield) were the best team we saw all season... Now that we've seen the highest level of competition, I think that will drive us even more knowing what we want to accomplish in the end."

Photos Courtesy Amy Smith



NORTH QUINCY boys' volleyball bench cheers on their Raider teammates in the Div. 2 state tournament championship against Westfield June 15 at Worcester North High School.

Burgin Platner Advances To Final

Kilcoyne, Henderson, Bryant Come Through In The Clutch

Burgin Platner Insurance won an epic playoff game June 18th at the Quarry Hills Baseball Complex. Going into the top of the 6th knotted up at 5, Burgin exploded for 6 runs to advance to the final June 22 at the same venue.

Jude Henderson sparked the rally in the last frame with his third hit of the game and second baseman Mark Bryant ripped a single up the middle to move Henderson to third base. Bryant, celebrating his 11th birthday, had a great game at the plate. Evin Kilcoyne blasted his second double of the game to bring in both Henderson and Bryant and

the offensive attack was on. Julian Anderson (a power threat all season long) walked and catcher Jimmy Rheault singled once again to give Burgin the extra runs needed.

Pitcher Kieran Sheehan was absolutely amazing in the first 3 innings, giving up just 3 unearned runs and striking out 6. He was relieved by Diego Suarez, arguably the best pitcher in all of Cal Ripken Baseball. Suarez helped his own cause by going 3-4 and knocking in 3 runs early in the contest. Then he went to work on the hill, dominating once again. Suarez was incredible. He struck out 7 of a possible 9

and was helped out by an absolutely beautiful defensive play by Sheehan at first base to end the game.

Shortstop Tommy Burns and Rightfielder Jack Potter-Moraes both added great at bats and worked walks in crucial situations. But the play of the game was when centerfielder Julian Christianson tracked down a would be home run and threw a laser to the cutoff man to stop the bleeding for Burgin in the 5th inning. Christianson has had some great defensive plays all season long at various positions and is starting to hit better as well.



MANAGER KEVIN BRYANT lifts up closer Diego Suarez after Burgin-Platner's 11-7 victory in the playoffs.

Bill Dunn Jr. Memorial Road Race Saturday In Hough Neck

The Bill Dunn Jr. Memorial Road Race will be held Saturday, June 25 in Houghs Neck.

The event is a great time for friends and family of Bill Dunn Jr. to gather in honor of his life and share memories with each other. This is the 14th year the road race is being held, and each year

the participation and support is remarkable.

Registration for the event is from 7 to 8:30 a.m. at the St. Thomas Aquinas Hall on Darrow Street. Those interested can participate in a five-mile run or two-mile walk beginning at 9 a.m.

Cash prizes will be awarded for first place male/

female runner and first place Houghs Neck resident male/female runner. Awards given to first, second and third-place runners in each age group.

The first 300 people to register will receive a free race t-shirt.

Proceeds from the event benefit the Bill Dunn Jr. Memorial Scholarship which

has provided scholarships to Quincy High students, donations to Children's Hospital, Manet Youth Football and other local organizations.

The registration fee is \$40 for runners and \$25 for walkers until June 18th, then the fee is \$45 to run and \$30 to walk until sold out;

children walking are free.

Registration forms are available online at rememberb.com and can be mailed to Bill Dunn Jr. Memorial Road Race, 105 Edgewa-

ter Dr., Quincy, MA 02169. Participants can also register online at racewire.com.

For more information, contact Margaret Dunn at 617-471-9075.

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The Quincy Sun.com

Children Ages 6 Months To 4 Years Eligible For COVID-19 Vaccinations

Following recommendations from the US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Baker-Polito Administration announces Massachusetts children ages 6 months to 4 years old are now eligible to receive the Moderna or Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine.

For the 6 months to 4-year-old age group, the Pfizer vaccine consists of three pediatric doses and the Moderna vaccine consists of two pediatric doses. Appointments are available for booking (as of June 21) with additional locations and appointments expected to come online in the following days. Vaccines are already available to those 5 years and older. The Administration expects there to be over 400 locations for children ages 6 months to 4 years old to receive a vaccine in the coming weeks.

The COVID-19 vaccine has shown to be safe, effective,

and protective against serious illness or death. The Administration is committed to ensuring families have convenient access to free, safe, and effective vaccines. Children 6 months and older may receive a vaccination at locations such as their pediatricians' offices, community health centers, state-supported vaccination sites, mobile clinics and some pharmacy settings depending on the pharmacy and the child's age.

"We know parents and families have been waiting for this, and we are pleased to have this last age group approved for the COVID-19 vaccine," said Dr. Estevan Garcia, a pediatrician, and Chief Medical Officer at the Massachusetts Department of Public Health. "The vaccine for this age group has been rigorously tested and we encourage parents to add this vaccine to the list of critical vaccinations their

children should receive. We urge parents to reach out to their child's health care provider with any questions they may have."

How to find a pediatric COVID-19 vaccination appointment:

- Parents who prefer to have their child vaccinated by their primary care provider should call their provider's office directly.

- Visit the VaxFinder tool at vaxfinder.mass.gov for a full list of available locations. You can narrow results to search for locations offering the pediatric COVID-19 vaccine. Some locations listed may only vaccinate certain ages. Read the site details to learn more.

- For individuals who are unable to use VaxFinder, or have difficulty accessing the Internet, the COVID-19 Vaccine Resource Line is available by calling 2-1-1 (Monday through Friday from 8:30 AM to 6 PM, Sat-

urday and Sunday 9 AM – 2 PM). The COVID-19 Vaccine Resource Line is available in English and Spanish and has translators available in approximately 100 additional languages.

Massachusetts is a national leader in vaccination

rates with over 84 percent of eligible residents fully vaccinated and over half of adults boosted. Massachusetts residents have ready access to vaccines, rapid tests, and therapeutics – all the resources needed to prevent severe illness and the

Commonwealth's COVID data shows these tools work.

The vaccine is free, and you do not need insurance or an ID to be vaccinated. Additional information on the COVID-19 vaccination, including FAQs, can be found at mass.gov/COVID-vaccine.



PICTURED AT THE Teamsters Local 25 scholarship ceremony are, left to right, Teamsters Local 25 Field Representative Brian Hatch; Brian Perry of Quincy; Quinlan Perry of Quincy; and Eleanor Perry of Quincy (mom).
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Quincy Health Dept. Partners With QATV On Aging Strong

Aging Strong is a program hosted by the Tufts Medical Center's Injury Prevention & Outreach Program which is dedicated to sharing information and resources that empower older adults. The program is sponsored by the Quincy Health Department and it is produced by Quincy Access Television (QATV).

Marli Casili from the Quincy Health Department said, "We are excited to partner with Tufts Medical Center Injury Prevention Coordinator, Debbie Toomey and to sponsor Aging Strong as part of the Quincy Health Department. This program will include various health topics for adults

and phenomenal guest speakers from various agencies throughout the state."

The series airs on Quincy Access Television (QATV) on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 10:30 a.m. on QATV's channel 9. Program host Debbie Toomey provides helpful exercises that promotes healthy living in episode one. In episodes 2 and 3, Debbie's guest Ailene Gerhardt from Beacon Patient Solutions discusses, "What is an Independent Patient Advocate and Why Do You Need One" and the "Unique Needs of Solo Agers," respectively.

Aging Strong with Debbie Toomey is a bi-weekly

show; stay tuned for future informative episodes.

"Quincy Access Television is happy to produce Aging Strong for Quincy's senior citizens", said Jonathan Caliri, executive director of Quincy Access Television. "For over 20 years, QATV and the Quincy Health Department have worked together and this program is another example of our partnership to educate Quincy's residents on healthy living. We are also excited to work with Debbie Lyn Toomey from Tufts Medical Center as she brings her own knowledge and host of experts to inform the senior community."

Quinlan Perry Awarded Teamsters Local 25 Scholarship

Teamsters Local 25 awarded college scholarships worth \$60,000 to 30 high school students during its monthly membership meeting. The scholarships were presented during an inspiring ceremony at the union hall in Charlestown, which included words of inspiration from Teamsters Local 25 President Thomas Mari. Teamsters Local 25 provides scholarships each year to children and grandchildren of union members.

Quinlan Perry of Quincy, a recent Boston College High School graduate who will attend The College of the Holy Cross, is among the scholarship recipients.

Quinlan is the son of Brian Perry, a Teamsters Local 25 member who works for the Trade Shows Division.

"We are proud to award these scholarships as a way to inspire youth to become our next leaders," said Teamsters Local 25 President Thomas Mari. "It's important that we invest in the education of the next generation. These students have worked hard to maximize their high school education and we are proud to help launch their post-secondary education. Judging by the students who received our scholarships, the future looks bright and we can expect great things from the

next generation."

Since 2006, Teamsters Local 25 has awarded hundreds of thousands of dollars in scholarship funds. All students are children or grandchildren of Local 25 members or retirees. Teamsters Local 25 provides scholarships each year to children of Teamster members and retirees as a way to help the next generation of leaders achieve their academic and career goals.

Teamsters Local 25 is the largest Teamsters Union in New England, representing 11,500 workers. For more information, visit www.TeamstersLocal25.com.

Three Residents Earn Bryant U. Degrees

Three Quincy residents recently earned degrees at Bryant University in Smithfield, R.I.

Mark Anastasi was

awarded a Bachelor of Science in business administration, accounting.

Carmen Cheung was awarded a Bachelor of Sci-

ence in business administration, information systems.

Julia Galvin was awarded a Bachelor of Science in business administration, finance.

Three Residents On Marquette Dean's List

Two students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring

semester at Marquette University in Milwaukee, WI.

They are:

George Haikal who is pursuing a Bachelor of Science in marketing; and Matt Summering who is pursuing a Bachelor of Science in marketing.

Three Residents On PSU President's List

Three students from Quincy have been named to the President's List for the spring semester at Plymouth State University in Plymouth, N.H.

They are:

Grace Dugan, Kelsey Dunn and Stephen DeBisschop.

Two Residents On PSU Dean's List

Two students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Plymouth State University in Plymouth, N.H.

They are:

Shannon O'Reilly and Shayna Bellotti.

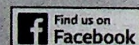
Two On MassBay Dean's List

Two students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at MassBay Community College in Wellesley Hills.

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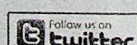
Silviya Macdonagh who studies general business and Jenna Caldwell who studies general studies.

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Public Access Channel 8

Thursday, June 23
6:00pm: Bethany Congregational Church
7:00pm: On the Road with Jazzy Bill

Friday, June 24
11:30am: LIVE: Currently in Quincy
10:00pm: Irish Whirl Podcast

Saturday, June 25
12:00pm: On the Road with Jazzy Bill
7:00pm: The Call

Sunday, June 26
11:30am: Quincy Point Cong. Good News
1:00pm: The Call

Monday, June 27
11:30am: LIVE: Currently in Quincy
7:00pm: CIQ Interview: Quincy Farmers Market

Tuesday, June 28
7:00am: LIVE: AM Quincy with Joe Catalano
7:00pm: AM Quincy: Mayor Thomas Koch

Wednesday, June 29
6:00pm: Quincy Point Cong. Good News
7:00pm: The Call

Government Access Channel 9

Thursday, June 23
4:00pm: Board of License Commissioners 6/21
5:30pm: Zoning Board of Appeals 6/14

Friday, June 24
6:30pm: For Your Health: Summer Safety

Saturday/Sunday, June 25/26
9:30am: For Your Health: Summer Safety
10:00am: On Q Episode #5
11:00am: QHD Health Links: Aging Strong
12:00pm: City Council incl. Public Hearing 6/21
4:00pm: Board of License Commissioners 6/21
6:30pm: On Q Episode #5
7:00pm: City Council incl. Public Hearing 6/21

Monday, June 27
6:30pm: For Your Health: Summer Safety
7:00pm: TCPL Presents

Tuesday 28
7:00pm: QHS Graduation 2022
9:00pm: NQHS Graduation 2022

Wednesday, June 29
6:00pm: In the Know: Norfolk County Sheriff
7:00pm: Quincy Flag Day Ceremony 2022

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OBITUARIES

Jennie R. Morreale, 101

Jennie R. (Graceffa) Morreale, of Quincy, passed peacefully away on Monday, June 13, 2022, at the Pat Roche Hospice Home in Hingham. She was 101.

Born in Quincy on June 9, 1921, she was the daughter of the late Francis and Josephine (Gueli) Graceffa. She was the beloved wife of the late Carmelo Morreale of Quincy, to whom she was happily married for over 50 years.

Jennie was the devoted mother of Marie Keefe and her husband David of Duxbury, Jerry Morreale and his wife Mary of Braintree, Joanne Morreale and her husband Richard Lewis of Arlington, and Frank Morreale and his wife Peg of Norfolk. She was the loving grandmother of nine, and the proud great-grandmother of seven. She is also survived by many well-loved nieces, nephews, extended family members, and friends. She was preceded in death by her two dear sisters, Angela Rizzo, and Millie Napoleone.

Jennie was, throughout her life, a force to be reckoned with. In addition to raising her family, she worked for many years as a Human Resources Administrator. She enjoyed her work and built many relationships that lasted throughout her life. She was known for saying, "If you want to have a friend, you have to be a friend", and she adhered to that motto faithfully. Every-



JENNIE R. MORREALE

one knew they could always depend on Jennie!

Jennie was blessed with a sharp mind that amazed both family and friends. Even as she arrived at her 100th year, she could converse on many topics, politics being her least favorite and the Red Sox being her greatest. She loved word games and always enjoyed an occasional friendly game of poker. She was fiercely independent and lived in her own home in Quincy, by herself, until after she turned 100.

The life lessons she taught and the example she set in having a life well lived are a part of the legacy she leaves her family. She always said that if you have a loving family, you have had a successful life. Hers was indeed successful. She will be greatly missed by her family and by all those she has touched through her kindness and graciousness.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to greet the family during visiting hours on Thursday, June 23, 2022, from 4-8 p.m. at the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

A Celebration of Life Service will be held in the funeral home at 9 a.m. on Friday, June 24, 2022, prior to the Funeral Mass in St. John the Baptist Church, 44 School St., Quincy, at 10 a.m.

Services will conclude with interment in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

In lieu of flowers, memorial donations may be sent in Jennie's name to the Pat Roche Hospice House, 86 Turkey Hill Lane, Hingham, MA 02043 or to Dana Farber Cancer Institute, PO Box 849168, Boston, MA 02284-9168.

See Keohane.com for directions and online condolences.

William J. McArdle, Jr., 83

William J. "Bill" McArdle, Jr. of Quincy, passed away peacefully surrounded by his loving family on Sunday, June 12, 2022. He was 83.

He was born in Dorchester to Lottie (McNeil) and William J. McArdle. He was raised in Dorchester and attended Boston Technical High School. Shortly after high school, Bill enlisted the United States Army in order to help provide for his family. His dedication to serving his country spanned over 40 years, eventually earning the rank of Chief Warrant Officer 4. During his entire career with the military, he never stopped learning and completed school for Parachuting, Special Forces Qualification, Criminal Investigation, Intelligence Analyst, Interrogator, COMSEC Custodian, MI Warrant Officer Refresher Course, Senior Warrant Officer, and Basic Instructor Training. In addition, he received his Bachelor's in Accounting and Master's in Taxation at Bentley College and his MBA with Boston College. After earning his degree with Boston College, he was employed there as the Senior Auditor and an Adjunct Professor.

Bill's tenacity and hard-working nature were a credit to the devotion and love he had for his family. He was smart and goal oriented. Bill was a people person and loved to tell his stories to anyone that would listen. In his spare time, he enjoyed



WILLIAM J. MCARDLE, JR.

gardening, travelling and was an avid Red Sox and Patriots fan.

Beloved husband of Cynthia "Cindy" McArdle (Rekas). Devoted father of Christine Bender and her husband James of Quincy, and William James "Jamie" McArdle III and his wife Sylvia of E. Bridgewater. Loving brother of Roderick McArdle and his wife Brenda of Norton and Virginia Shain of CA. Cherished grandfather of Robert Bender of Quincy and William "Liam" McArdle IV and Emilie McArdle. Also survived by many nieces and nephews.

Visiting hours were held Friday, June 17, in the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy. A funeral service was celebrated immediately following the visiting hours. Burial in Pine Hill Cemetery, Quincy.

In lieu of flowers, donations in memory of Bill may be made to a charity of your choice.

Please see Keohane.com for directions and online condolences.

Ann M. Cirino, 90

Ann M. (Cappello) Cirino, of Quincy, died peacefully on Monday, June 13, 2022, at Tufts Medical Center in Boston. She was 90.

Born in and raised in Boston's North End, Ann was the daughter of the late Nicola and Sebastiana (Aquanno) Cappello.

Ann was the devoted wife of the late John J. Cirino. The two married on July 1, 1956, in St. Leonard's Church of Boston's North End. Together they shared 63 loving years of marriage before John's passing in 2019. She was the proud mother of Joanne C. Lucier and her husband Rick of Brockton, and Dianne T. Cirino of Quincy. Ann was the loving grandmother of Joshua Lucier and his wife Kelly of Vermont, Jonathan (JJ) Lucier and his wife Kate of Taunton, and Joseph Lucier and his wife Hailley of Attleboro. She was the loving "Big Grandma" to Nico, Paxton, Bode and Milo of Vermont; Theo of Taunton and soon to be great granddaughter on the way. Ann was preceded in death by her siblings: Marion Liberti, Frank Cappello, Mary Catherine Raneri, Phyllis Melchiona Cohen, Anthony Cappello, Vito Cappello and Nicholas Cappello.

The Cirino family would



ANN M. CIRINO

like to personally thank Tufts Medical Center - specifically the 8th Floor North staff - for their extraordinary kindness, love, and support to Ann.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to greet the family during the visiting hours on Wednesday, June 22, 2022, 4-8 p.m. in the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy.

Ann's funeral service will be celebrated on Thursday, June 23, 2022, at 10 a.m. in Keohane Funeral Home, Quincy.

Services conclude with interment in St. Michael's Cemetery, Boston.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions may be sent in Ann's name to St. Jude Children's Research Hospital, 501 St. Jude Place, Memphis, TN 38105.

See Keohane.com for directions and online condolences.

Kevin J. McGrath, 61

Kevin J. McGrath, of Houghts Neck, formerly of Wollaston, passed away surrounded by family on June 14th, 2022 at the age of 61.

Born in Boston, Kevin grew up in Quincy, and graduated from Archbishop Williams High School. For the last 25 years Kevin has been employed by Verizon. In his free time, Kevin had a passion for fishing, as well as gardening.

He enjoyed playing sports in high school, and was captain of the Archbishop Williams football team and was a member of the track team. Kevin also spent much of his time with family and friends, which brought him the most joy.

A loving son, brother, uncle and friend, Kevin will be missed by many.

Dear son of Gerald E. McGrath and the late Virginia (Dunn) McGrath. Devoted brother of Gerald E. McGrath and his wife Karin of NC, Michael F. McGrath and his wife Nikki of NM, the late Paul J. McGrath who is survived by his wife Jean (Houten) McGrath of



KEVIN J. MCGRATH

Braintree and the late Timothy J. McGrath of NY. Also survived by many aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews, cousins and friends.

Services will be private.

There will a celebration of Kevin's life at the Quincy Yacht Club, 1310 Sea St. in Quincy on June 25th at 5:30 p.m.

In lieu of flowers, memorial contributions in Kevin's name can be made to The Sisters of St. Joseph of Boston, 637 Cambridge St., Brighton, MA 02135. Services under the care of Hamel-Lydon Chapel & Cremation Service of MA, Quincy.

In Loving Memory of
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States; 6th President, John Quincy Adams, 35th President, John F. Kennedy and 41st President, George H.W. Bush. These four Presidents of the United States were all born in Norfolk County. I would venture to say, there are not too many counties in America that could claim four Presidents of the United States. This is why Norfolk County is known as the "County of Presidents."

Additional towns have been incorporated into Norfolk County since 1793. One of these communities, Norwood, is celebrating its 150th anniversary. Norwood was incorporated as a town in 1872.

A June 22, 2022 event at the Norwood Town Hall celebrated as part of Norwood's 150th Birthday Celebration the stories and people behind the recorded

documents found at the Norfolk Registry of Deeds.

You can learn about the "housewright" who was the force behind the selection of the name of Norwood, Tyler Thayer. There is a land record signed by an Air Ace, who flew over 258 combat missions over enemy territory - Colonel George T. Lee. Learn about a member of the First African American family to settle in Norwood, who later became a long serving member of the Norwood School Committee and Blue Hill School Committee - Henry Diggs.

The land records at the Norfolk Registry tie in to a governor from Norwood, a professional baseball player, an entertainer, and other people and places that make Norwood such a special and vibrant community. Some folks find the information in the old land records interesting.

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OBITUARIES

Catherine M. McColgan, 50

Catherine Mary "Cait" McColgan of Quincy, formerly of Ireland, passed away surrounded by her loving family on Friday, June 17, 2022. She was 50.

She was born Bantry, County Cork, Ireland to Noreen (Keohane) and Denis O'Sullivan. When she turned 21, she moved to the United States and settled in Quincy. A natural caretaker, she began working in childcare in Boston, Milton and Quincy. Not long after, she met Gabriel McColgan, her husband to be and they started a family, having two kids of their own.

Cait most enjoyed spending time with her family and friends, often keeping in touch with her family in Ireland. She was a devoted mother and wife, and an



CATHERINE M. MCCOLGAN

excellent cook and baker. She truly made her house a home for her family. When she wasn't at home she enjoyed going out with her husband and her friends for a pint. There were no secrets with Cait, she wore her heart on her sleeve and told it how it was.

Beloved partner and wife of almost 3 decades to Ga-

briel McColgan of Quincy. Devoted mother of Leann and Shauna McColgan, both of Quincy. Cherished daughter of Noreen and Denis O'Sullivan. Loving sister to Stephan, Mairead, Louise, Michael, Kieran, Daniel, Domnic, Alan, Nealius and John. She will be missed by all who knew her.

Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to greet the family during the visiting hours on Sunday, June 26, from 3-7 p.m. in the Keohane Funeral Home, 785 Hancock St., Quincy. A Celebration of Life Service will be held in the funeral home at 9:15 a.m. on Monday, June 27, prior to the Funeral Mass in St. Mary's Church, Quincy at 10 a.m. Burial will be in Ireland at a later date.

As Temperatures Rise So Does The Risk Of Vehicle Heatstroke Deaths

The "dog days" of summer are upon us, and as temperatures rise, so does the risk of vehicle heatstroke deaths for children and pets. On average 38 children die in hot cars each year.

On a typical 80-degree summer day, the interior temperature of a vehicle increases by 20 degrees in only 10 minutes and reaches a deadly 109 degrees in 20 minutes. On hotter days, it is common for temperatures in a parked car to reach 120-140 degrees, and cracking the windows has little to no effect.

Heatstroke is the result of the internal body temperature reaching 104 degrees. Children and pets are much more susceptible due to their thermoregulatory systems; the body temperature of children rises at a rate 3 to 5 times faster than adults. These tragedies primarily occur due to one three scenarios, in only 1% of these tragedies is the cause unknown.

• 20% of deaths result from a caregiver knowingly leaves a child in the car (typically to run a quick

errand or finish a nap). The majority of the temperature rise occurs within the first 15 to 30 minutes, and caregivers assume that cracking the windows is enough to cool and ventilate the vehicle.

• 53% of these tragedies are caused by a caregiver forgetting the child in the vehicle. It should be noted that 46% of the deaths related to children forgotten in vehicles involved a change in the family's routine where a different caregiver was responsible for dropping of the child at daycare. These tragedies most often occur on weekdays. AAA recommends drivers safely store their cell phone, work bag, or purse in the back seat when child passengers are present.

• 26% of cases are related to the child gaining access to the vehicle without adult supervision. An innocent game of "hide and go seek" can lead to such tragedies; often the child enters the vehicle and closes the door or trunk and cannot get out. It is important for drivers to

lock their vehicles in driveways and garages to prevent these occurrences.

The Alliance of Automobile Manufacturers and Association of Global Automakers have voluntarily agreed to integrate "rear seat reminder" warning systems in vehicles to alert caregivers to check the back seat for child passengers in every car sold in the U.S. by the 2025 model year. The agreement includes many large automakers, including domestic manufacturers General Motors, Fiat Chrysler Automobiles and Ford, and foreign-based companies such as Honda, Nissan, and Toyota. Several manufacturers have already included the technology.

The National Traffic Safety Administration developed a campaign to raise awareness, urging caregivers to "look before they lock" and ask themselves "Where's Baby?"

AAA urges anyone who finds a child or pet alone in a locked car to call 911 immediately and take action to remove the passenger.

Daniel J. Dieso, Jr., 74

Daniel J. Dieso, Jr., age 74, of Holbrook, formerly of North Quincy, died peacefully June 18, 2022 at Tufts Medical Center in Boston, surrounded by his loving family.

Daniel was born in Boston, to the late Daniel J. and Beatrice M. (Ardagna) Dieso. Raised in South Boston and North Quincy, he was a graduate of North Quincy High School, Class of 1965. He later attended Wentworth Institute and Northeastern University.

Dan lived in Holbrook for 50 years, previously in North Quincy. He also enjoyed summers in Harwich on Cape Cod, where he loved spending time with his family and friends making memories that will last a lifetime. Dan always had a story or a joke to tell.

He proudly served in the Army National Guard of Massachusetts.

Dan was employed as a mechanical engineer. He began his career at the former Fore River Shipyard, graduating from the Sheetmetal Apprentice School. He then worked for Stone & Webster Company, then Charles T. Main Company before forming his own company, Dome Sheet Metal of Stoughton and Holbrook, which he owned and oper-



DANIEL J. DIESEO, Jr.

ated for 11 years. He then worked as a facility manager for the Archdiocese of Boston for several years before retiring.

Dan and his wife, Joanne, were active in the Archbishop Williams High School Parents Association in the 1990s, especially at the concession stands at Gillette Stadium. He was also a longtime member of the Holbrook Scholarship Committee. He was devoted to his family and especially his cherished grandchildren, supporting their many activities and accomplishments.

Beloved husband for 50 years of Joanne (Saluti) Dieso.

Devoted father of Jennifer L. O'Shea and her husband Christopher of Abington, Gregory D. Dieso of Hanson, Amy M. Cotter

and her husband David of Abington.

Loving Nonno of Maren and Will O'Shea, Grace and Emily Dieso, Abby and Harry Cotter.

Dear brother of Stephen D. Dieso and his wife Judith of Kansas City, Mo., Laura Campbell and her husband Joseph of Holbrook.

Brother-in-law of the late Robert G. Saluti and his surviving wife Joanne of Harwich.

Dan is also survived by many loving nieces, nephews, and cousins.

Visiting hours were held at the Sweeney Brothers Home for Funerals, 1 Independence Ave., Quincy, on Wednesday, June 22, from 4-7 p.m. Relatives and friends were invited to attend.

A Funeral Mass will be celebrated in Saint Joseph Parish, 153 South Franklin St., Holbrook, on Thursday, June 23, at 10 a.m. Interment to follow at Mount Wollaston Cemetery, Quincy.

In lieu of flowers, donations in Daniel's memory may be made to The Arc of the South Shore, 20 Pond Park, Unit 113, Hingham, MA 02043 or the charity of your choice.

You are invited to visit www.thesweeneybrothers.com or call 617-472-6344.



**Don Uvanitte and Family
wish to thank everyone
for all the tremendous support given
to our family during the passing of
Donna Uvanitte on May 30, 2022.**

**Your thoughtfulness, prayers,
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CITATION ON PETITION FOR FORMAL ADJUDICATION
Docket No. NO22P1406EA
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Probate and Family Court
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

Estate of:
Ellen T. MacKinnon
Date of Death:
12/29/2021

To all interested persons:
A Petition for Formal Adjudication of Intestacy and Appointment of Personal Representative has been filed by Harbor House Rehab & Nursing Center of Hingham, MA requesting that the Court enter a formal Decree and Order and for such other relief as requested in the Petition.

The Petitioner requests that: **Charles MacKinnon of Weymouth, MA** be appointed as Personal Representative(s) of said estate to serve **Without Surety** on the bond in unsupervised administration.

IMPORTANT NOTICE

You have the right to obtain a copy of the Petition from the Petitioner or at the Court. You have a right to object to this proceeding. To do so, you or your attorney must file a written appearance and objection at this Court before: 10:00 A.M. on the return day of 07/13/2022. This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance and objection if you object to this proceeding. If you fail to file a timely written appearance and objection followed by an affidavit of objections within thirty (30) days of the return day, action may be taken without further notice to you.

UNSUPERVISED ADMINISTRATION UNDER THE MASSACHUSETTS UNIFORM PROBATE CODE (MUPC)

A Personal Representative appointed under the MUPC in an unsupervised administration is not required to file an inventory or annual accounts with the Court. Persons interested in the estate are entitled to notice regarding the administration directly from the Personal Representative and may petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including the distribution of assets and expenses of administration.

WITNESS, Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court.

Date: June 6, 2022
COLLEEN M. BRIERLEY
Register of Probate

6/23/22

LEGAL NOTICE

CITATION ON PETITION TO CHANGE NAME
Docket No. NO22C0164CA
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Probate and Family Court
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

In the Matter of:
Tuerhong Gulimire
A Petition to Change Name of Adult has been filed by

Tuerhong Gulimire of Quincy, MA requesting that the court enter a Decree changing their name to:

Gulmira Turgun

IMPORTANT NOTICE

Any person may appear for purposes of objecting to the petition by filing an appearance at: **Norfolk Probate and Family Court before 10:00 a.m. on the return day of 07/20/2022.**

This is NOT a hearing date, but a deadline by which you must file a written appearance if you object to this proceeding.

WITNESS, Hon. Patricia Gorman, First Justice of this Court.

Date: June 7, 2022
COLLEEN M. BRIERLEY
Register of Probate

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE ZBA 22-53

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, the **QUINCY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS** will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:00pm** in the First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy MA 02169. On the application of Siddharth Ramshankar for a Finding to Finish Basement to Create More Living Space in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 3.4.3 (Finding) on the premises numbered 135 SUMNER ST UNIT 2.

Plans and Specifications may be viewed online at <https://quincyma.viewpointcloud.com/>.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE ZBA 22-46

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, the **QUINCY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS** will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:00pm** in the First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy MA 02169. On the application of Sok Au for a Variance to add one dormer to left side of home in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 4.1 (Dimensional Requirements) (FAR) on the premises numbered 47 MARSHALL STREET, QUINCY.

Plans and Specifications may be viewed online at <https://quincyma.viewpointcloud.com/>.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

6/23/22, 6/30/22

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE ZBA 22-49

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, the **QUINCY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS** will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:00pm** in the First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy MA 02169. On the application of Carly Spink for a Variance to expand driveway for additional parking space in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 5.1.4 (Setbacks) on the premises numbered 121 Phipps Street.

Plans and Specifications may be viewed online at <https://quincyma.viewpointcloud.com/>.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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2022 Independence Day Holiday Travelers

	Total	Automobile	Air	Other (Bus, Train, Cruise)
2022 (Forecast)	47.9M	42.0M	3.55M	2.42M
2021 (Actual)	46.2M	41.8M	3.50M	900,000
2019 (Actual)	49.0M	41.5M	3.91M	3.54M
Change (2019 to 2022)	-2.1%	1.1%	-9.3%	-31.6%
Change (2021 to 2022)	3.7%	0.4%	1.5%	167.9%
Share of Travelers by Mode (2022)				
Automobile	88%	Air	7%	Other
				5%

AAA Predicts 47.9 Million People Will Travel This July 4th

Record Car Travel Expected Despite Historically High Gas Prices

Summer travel is already in full swing and Independence Day will be no exception as AAA predicts 47.9 million people will travel 50 miles or more from home over the holiday weekend (June 30 – July 4). This is an increase of 3.7% over 2021, bringing travel volumes just shy of those seen in 2019.

The biggest surprise – car travel – will set a new record despite historically

high gas prices with 42 million people hitting the road. Almost 1.37 million from Massachusetts will travel, more than 1.2 million by car, both higher than a year ago.

"The volume of travelers we expect to see over Independence Day is a definite sign that summer travel is kicking into high gear," said Mary Maguire, director of

Public and Government Affairs for AAA Northeast. "Earlier this year, we started seeing the demand for travel increase and it's not tapering off. People are ready for a break and despite things costing more, they are finding ways to still take that much needed vacation."

Car travel volume, even with national average gas prices going over the \$5

mark, will break previous records as 42 million opt to drive this Independence Day. Recent issues with air travel and ongoing concerns of cancellations and delays may be driving this increase. In fact, the share of people traveling by air will be the lowest since 2011.

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PUBLIC NOTICE

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The Quincy Housing Authority (QHA) has created a new Five-Year Action Plan for the Capital Fund Program for years 2022 thru 2026. This Five-Year Action Plan is available for a forty-five (45) day public review and comment period starting on Friday, June 3, 2022. The Five Year Action Plan is available for inspection in the lobby of 80 Clay St. and on the QHA website, www.quincyma.com. A public hearing to review any comments on the Action Plan will be held on Monday July 18, 2022, at 1:30 pm at 80 Clay St. Quincy, MA.

James Marathas
Executive Director
6/23/22

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

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City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE ZBA 22-43

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, the **QUINCY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS** will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:00pm** in the First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy MA 02169. On the application of Robert Mattie for a Variance to subdivide property and create a new buildable lot for a residential structure in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 4.0 (Dimensional Requirements) and Chapter 4.1 (Table of Dimensional Requirements) on the premises numbered 71 PRATT ROAD.

Plans and Specifications may be viewed online at <https://quincyma.viewpointcloud.com/>.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
City of Quincy
ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS

CASE ZBA 22-56

Pursuant to the provisions of Title 17 of the Quincy Municipal Code as amended, the **QUINCY ZONING BOARD OF APPEALS** will hold an **Open Public Hearing** on **Tuesday, July 12, 2022 at 6:00pm** in the First Floor Meeting Room, Quincy City Hall, 1305 Hancock Street, Quincy MA 02169. On the application of Patrick Foley for a Variance/Special Permit to construct a 44 unit residential building in violation of Title 17 as amended Chapter 4.0 (Dimensional Requirements), Chapter 3.1 (Use Variance) and Chapter 9.4 (Special Permit) on the premises numbered 17 BENNETT LANE.

Plans and Specifications may be viewed online at <https://quincyma.viewpointcloud.com/>.

Martin Aikens, Chairman

6/23/22, 6/30/22

LEGAL NOTICE

INFORMAL PROBATE PUBLICATION NOTICE
Docket No. NO22P1466EA
Commonwealth of Massachusetts
The Trial Court
Probate and Family Court
Norfolk Division
35 Shawmut Road
Canton, MA 02021
(781) 830-1200

Estate of:

Remo P. Mariano
Date of Death:
November 19, 2021

To all persons interested in the above captioned estate, by Petition of:

Petitioner **Stephen A. Mariano of Westford, MA.**
Petitioner **Michael F. Mariano of Franklin, MA.**

a Will has been admitted to informal probate.

Stephen A. Mariano of Westford, MA and Michael F. Mariano of Franklin, MA have been informally appointed as the Personal Representatives of the estate to serve without surety on the bond.

The estate is being administered under informal procedure by the Personal Representatives under the Massachusetts Uniform Probate Code without supervision by the Court. Inventory and accounts are not required to be filed with the Court, but interested parties are entitled to notice regarding the administration from the Personal Representatives and can petition the Court in any matter relating to the estate, including distribution of assets and expenses of administration. Interested parties are entitled to petition the Court to institute formal proceedings and to obtain orders terminating or restricting the powers of Personal Representatives appointed under informal procedure. A copy of the Petition and Will, if any, can be obtained from the Petitioners.

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'Fresh Set Of Eyes' Needed On MBTA, Mariano Says

By SCOTT JACKSON
A fresh set of eyes is needed to look into the MBTA, House Speaker Ronald Mariano said in a recent interview after federal officials issued a series of special directives to the transit agency amid a safety review.

The Federal Transit Administration began its review of the MBTA in May following a series of collisions, derailments, fatalities and other incidents. The FTA on June 15 issued special directives to the MBTA concerning the T's operating control center staffing, general safety operating procedures, delayed critical maintenance and lapses in staff safety certifications.

To comply with those directives, MBTA officials on June 17 announced that weekday service on the Blue, Orange and Red Lines – but not the Green Line – would be reduced to Saturday levels starting this week. Those service cuts are expected to last through the summer.

Mariano was asked about the MBTA during an inter-

view on June 16, after the FTA issued its directives but before the MBTA announced the service cuts. The speaker, a Quincy Democrat, said a fresh set of eyes is needed.

"The four items that the Federal Transit Administration identified were all safety issues and they our attention. They have our attention," Mariano said.

"The governor took over the T from us when he first came in. He wanted control and he's done some good things with that. He's speeded up the repair times. He's finally got them paying attention to maintenance. It's not perfect because you have those stairs where the guy fell through," Mariano continued, referring to a closed staircase at JFK/UMass station where a Boston University professor fell to his death last September.

"I do think though that it points to the fact that someone has to come in with a fresh set of eyes and look at it and say, where is this falling apart? Maintenance has always been a problem. I rail about losing the garage

in Quincy where I come in on a Monday and there is a condemned sign on the gate and I park there every day. Friday it was condemned too, but no one told us, so they put up a sign on Monday and said it's gone, and they start taking it down. It's insane. No one spent a nickel."

Making sure the MBTA runs in a safe manner, and restoring public confidence in it, will be among the most pressing issues facing the state's next governor, Mariano said.

"I think the challenge for whoever the governor is going to be is really about make it safe, get it running

on time, and restore the confidence back – it's safe and it's clean. That's going to be a challenge," he said.

"We've got to get some cars that work too. We buy cars, half of them don't even work. Who the hell is buying these things...They can't do anything right, and he's on them pretty good."

Mariano credited Gov. Charlie Baker for his approach to renovating the Wollaston Red Line station, which was closed completely during the project instead of being kept open, but said the governor should shoulder some of the responsibility for the safety issues.

"The one good thing they

did is the Wollaston station. They closed it down. The original projection was two and half years. They did it in less than a year by shutting it down and getting all hands on deck and fixing it, and I like that," Mariano said.

"I like that rather than we're going to have week-end service on a bus for the next fifteen years and you inconvenience everyone for way too long. Come in, block it off, bus service here, in a year it will be done.

"I just think he should get a lot of credit for that, but he has to have some of the responsibility for the public safety stuff, because that's

really troubling, when the feds come in and say, 'look, we've identified four issues that you have to fix immediately' or they're going to come in and take it over, so it's got to be serious.

"It's tough because he's a lame duck. He's got six months or seven months at the most. I don't expect wholesale changes. I just don't know."

Mariano said the MBTA's budget process encouraged the transit agency to reduce the amount of maintenance it performs to make sure there is enough money to keep the system running.

"The original way the T

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NCSO Supt. Danielle Frane Receives Leadership Award

Norfolk County Sheriff's Office Superintendent Danielle Frane recently received the Spirit of MAWLE Leadership Award from the Massachusetts Association of Women in Law Enforcement (MAWLE) at a reception held at the Irish Cultural Center in Canton. Supt. Frane also delivered the keynote address to attendees and spoke of the importance of promoting women to leadership positions in law enforcement.

Norfolk County Sheriff Patrick McDermott praised Frane for her consistent and clear leadership.

"Superintendent Frane brings a level of professionalism and clarity that is second to none. Under her leadership the Norfolk County Sheriff's Office continues to operate at the



DANIELLE FRANE

highest level, but the example she sets has continued to reverberate well outside of our facility," McDermott said. "Superintendent Frane sets an example of ethical and professional leadership throughout the law enforcement community, not just for women but all law enforcement professionals."

"I am humbled to even be considered for this award

from an organization such as MAWLE. This recognition gives women another avenue to pursue in law enforcement," Frane said. "I also want to thank Sheriff McDermott for supporting me as Superintendent and also creating an environment where women at the NCSO are encouraged to see themselves as leaders."

According to the MAWLE website, the Spirit of MAWLE Leadership Award is given "to a woman within the law enforcement field who distinguishes herself by superior accomplishments or continuing, long term involvement, using leadership skills that encompass but are not limited to problem solving, planning, organizational, communication and/or administrative which make

a significant contribution within the agency or the law enforcement mission."

Supt. Frane has worked for the Norfolk County Sheriff's Office for 25 years, beginning as a corrections officer before working on the electronic incarceration program. She was promoted to director of Classifications in 2007 and named assistant deputy superintendent of Classifications and Programs in 2019. When Sheriff McDermott took office in 2021, he named her assistant superintendent of Jail Operations. She assumed the role of superintendent of Jail Operations in March of this year, following the retirement of former Supt. Michael Harris. She is the first woman to serve as superintendent in the 229-year history of the facility.

Three Quincy Students On Quinnipiac Dean's List

Three students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at Quinnipiac University in Hamden,

CT.

They are:

Lauren Manning, Erik Mayo and Ryan Quirk.

Isabel Doherty On Norwich Dean's List

Isabel Doherty of Quincy has been named to the Dean's List for the spring

semester at Norwich University in Northfield, VT.

AAA Predicts 47.9 Million People Will Travel This July 4th

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busiest travel times are expected to occur on Thursday, June 30th on Interstates 93, 95 and the Massachusetts Turnpike. The largest increase over typical traffic will occur on I-93 south from exits 20 to 4, where traffic is expected to be 103 percent higher than average. Elsewhere, the increase will range from 22 to 88 percent. The worst time to travel will be Thursday and Friday afternoons when travelers heading to their destinations mix with commuters heading home for the weekend.

"Traveling by car does provide a level of comfort and flexibility that people may be looking for given the recent challenges with flying," Maguire said. "But not all destinations are within driving distance, which doesn't mean you have to abandon your vacation plans. The best advice we can give travelers is to consider working with a travel agent who can help plan for the unexpected – like a

flight cancellation. They are your best advocate."

This Summer, Travel Stress-Free

Independence Day will be the second busiest since 2000, as travel volumes continue to trend upwards with no sign of slowing down. It is important travelers are prepared and flexible to minimize stress and enjoy the holiday. AAA offers the following advice:

- **Have a plan A, B and C.** Flights, car rentals, accommodations, tours, cruises and other activities are in high demand and availability may be limited, which will impact pricing. Finding last-minute deals is unlikely so it's recommended to look for discounts and rewards, usually available through a membership like AAA. This is also another time when travel agents are a great resource since they may know of a deal that may not be readily available to the public.

- **Air**—AAA finds that the average lowest airfare

2022 Top Independence Day Destinations	
U.S Destinations	International Destinations
Orlando, FL	Vancouver, BC, Canada
Seattle, WA	Paris, France
New York, NY	London, England
Anaheim, CA	Rome, Italy
Anchorage, AK	Amsterdam, Netherlands
Ft. Lauderdale, FL	Dublin, Ireland
Las Vegas, NV	Calgary, AB, Canada
Honolulu, HI	Punta Cana, Dominican Republic
Denver, CO	Cancun, Mexico
Chicago, IL	Nassau, Bahamas

is 14% more than last year coming in at \$201/ticket.

- **Hotels**—Mid-range hotel rates have increased about 23%, with the average lowest nightly rates coming in at \$244/night for AAA Approved Hotels.

- **Car Rentals**—Since last year, the average daily rate for car rentals have continued to increase. With more people traveling, these prices remain on the rise due to continued supply chain issues coupled with growing demand. While daily car rental rates have decreased

34% compared to last year, with the average lowest rate coming in at \$110/day, rates are \$40 more/day on average than in 2019.

- **B-E-T on a break-down-free trip.** AAA expects to respond to over 446,000 calls for roadside assistance over the Independence Day holiday weekend. Make sure to get a full vehicle inspection ahead of any long trip but especially for components like a vehicle's battery, engine and tires. Even a vehicle in top

shape can run into an issue so it's a good idea to pack a well-stocked emergency kit and have roadside assistance just in case.

- **Beat the rush.** Travel on off-peak times or days or pick a hidden gem closer to home. Based on AAA booking data, Friday, July 1 is shaping up to be the busiest day for air travel during the holiday weekend (June 30 – July 4) with Monday, July 4 being the lightest. For those hitting the road, the Thursday and Friday before the

holiday are anticipated to be peak traffic days.

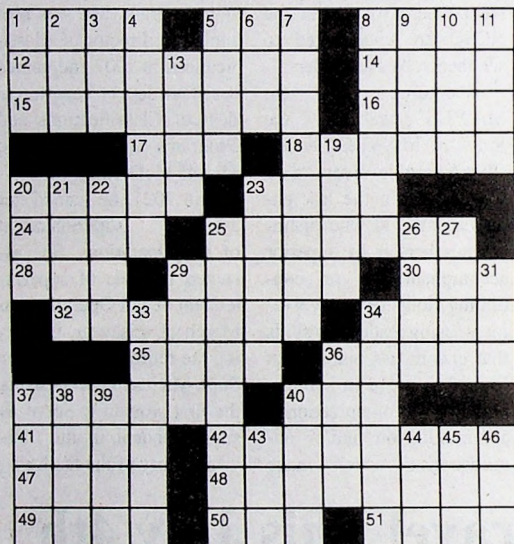
Top Destinations include Big Cities and International Favorites

AAA booking data reveals that big cities and international classics are top destinations this Independence Day. AAA data shows that bookings for air, car rentals, cruise, hotel, and tours are up 60% over last year for the top domestic Independence Day destinations and up 252% for international. See chart above.

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22 Opera set in
23 Egypt
24 Is able to, old-style
25 "Recognize my voice?"
26 Ornit
27 Fork prong
29 Sporty car roof
31 Lion's home
33 Light-headed folks?
34 TV audience member
36 Some wines
37 Line of fashion?
38 Verifiable
39 Monet's supply
40 Inky stain
43 Charged bit
44 Id counterpart
45 "Mayday!"
46 Former Delta rival



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MAGIC MAZE • INDEPENDENCE DAY

Y I F C A X V S Q O L J H E C
A X L V T R P N C S S S L S U
Y R O L G D L O A R E R J N H
C F D B A Y X V R I H E C O T
R Y T R E B I L N A C L O I R
O P O M K I E O I F E K N N G
W E D B Z X M S V S E R C U W
D U E U C E B R A B P A E E T
S E D A R A P M L B S P R R R
F I R E W O R K S Q O S T N L
J S C I N C I P I G F D S C A

Find the listed words in the diagram. They run in all directions forward, backward, up, down and diagonally. Unlisted clue hint: U.S. FLAG NICKNAME

- | | | | |
|------------|-----------|----------|-----------|
| Barbecue | Concerts | Liberty | Sparklers |
| Baseball | Crowds | Parades | Speeches |
| Carnivals | Fairs | Picnics | Uncle Sam |
| Ceremonies | Fireworks | Reunions | |

HOCUS-FOCUS

BY HENRY BOLTONOFF



Find at least six differences in details between panels.



Differences: 1. Arm is moved. 2. Boat string is missing. 3. Cloud is different. 4. Sail is different. 5. Camera is missing. 6. Log is missing.

Trivia test

by Fifi Rodriguez

- TELEVISION: Which TV show is set at UC-Sunnydale?
- FOOD & DRINK: What is an affogato?
- MOVIES: Which famous movie features a character named Almira Gulch?
- HISTORY: Which U.S. state was the first to legalize marijuana for medicinal use?
- ENTERTAINERS: What rapper/songwriter's real name is Calvin Cordozar Broadus Jr.?
- SCIENCE: What part of the brain controls hunger?
- GEOGRAPHY: The Gulf of Cadiz lies off the coasts of which two countries?
- LITERATURE: Who are

the best friends of Nancy Drew in the mystery series?

- LANGUAGE: The archaic term "grippe" was used to describe what common ailment?
- ASTRONOMY: What kind of star is the sun in our solar system?

Answers

- "Buffy the Vampire Slayer"
- Italian dessert of coffee and ice cream
- "The Wizard of Oz"
- California, 1996
- Snoop Dogg
- Hypothalamus
- Portugal and Spain
- Bess and George
- Influenza
- Yellow dwarf

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Wishing Well®

6	4	6	8	4	7	5	8	6	5	2	5	6
Y	S	O	Y	E	V	L	O	U	I	N	F	W
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4	7	8	6	7	6	8	4	3	5	2	5	2
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7	5	4	3	6	5	8	3	8	4	5	3	4
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HERE IS A PLEASANT LITTLE GAME that will give you a message every day. It's a numerical puzzle designed to spell out your fortune. Count the letters in your first name. If the number of letters is 6 or more, subtract 4. If the number is less than 6, add 3. The result is your key number. Start at the upper left-hand corner and check one of your key numbers, left to right. Then read the message the letters under the checked figures give you.

Salome's Stars

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Be prepared to face some challenges stirred up by an envious colleague. Your best defense is the Arian's innate honesty. Stick with the truth, and you'll come out ahead.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Your sensitivity to the needs of others is admirable. But be careful to avoid those who would take unfair advantage of your good nature, especially where money is involved.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Having an optimistic attitude is fine, as far as it goes. But don't be lulled into a false sense of confidence. There still are problems to deal with before you can totally relax.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) You might feel somewhat "crabby," as you fuss over plans that don't seem to work out. Maybe you're trying too hard. Ease up and let things happen without forcing them.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Heed that keen Leonine instinct. It's trying to tell you to delay making a decision until you're sure there are no hidden problems that could cause trouble later on.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) This is a good time to reach out to those who might be nursing hurt feelings over recent events. Best advice: Ignore any pettiness that could delay the healing process.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Your understanding helps a colleague get through

a difficult period. Although you didn't do it for a reward, be assured that your actions will be repaid down the line.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) You score some high marks in the workplace, which will count in your favor when you face the possibility of changing direction on your current career path.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your goal lies straight ahead. Stay focused on it and avoid distractions that could throw off your aim and cause potentially detrimental delays.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) Keep that burst of exuberance in check and resist pushing through your new project before it's ready. In your personal life, a family member again needs help.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) Paying attention to your work is important this week. But so are your relationships with those special people in your life. Make time for them as well.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Good news. Someone is about to repay a long-standing debt. But be warned. That same someone could try to charm you into lending it back unless you say no and mean it.

BORN THIS WEEK: You are sensitive to matters that involve your home and family. You would make a fine family-court judge or social worker.

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CryptoQuip

This is a simple substitution cipher in which each letter used stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Solution is accomplished by trial and error.

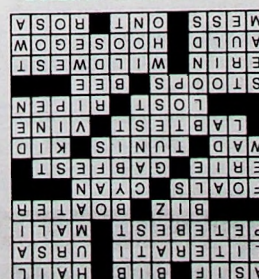
Clue: X equals S

QRLM IBG ZVQZIX OLA ARL
GMKBMABVZNVN GJOL AB KVUTN
TBGMAZUMX, U'W XZI IBG'JL
WJZQM AB XKZVL

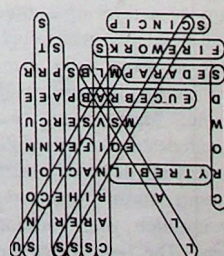
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King Crossword — Answers

Solution time: 22 mins.



Magic Maze ANSWERS:



CryptoQuip Answer

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When you always get the same answer, it's a sign you're not trying hard enough. Drawn to scale.

HOLLYWOOD

by Tony Rizzo

HOLLYWOOD — Great news! "Book Club 2: The Next Chapter" is currently shooting in Italy. Diane Keaton (76), Jane Fonda (84), Candice Bergen (76) and Mary Steenburgen (69) have returned, as have Andy Garcia, Don Johnson and Craig T. Nelson. But the men now have competition from Giancarlo Giannini, Hugh Quarshie and Vincent Riotta when the ladies take a long-desired trip to Italy, where things go off the rails and secrets are revealed. The first film cost \$14 million to produce and grossed \$104 million.

Keaton has "Mack & Rita," with Simon Rex, premiering Aug. 5, and "Maybe I Do," with Emma Roberts, Richard Gere and William Macy. Fonda, whose last seven new episodes of "Grace & Frankie" are now streaming, voices the Dragon in Apple's animated "Luck," with Whoopi Goldberg and Simon Pegg, also Aug. 5, and the sports comedy "Eighty for Brady," with Sally Field, Rita Moreno and Lily Tomlin. Bergen stars in the Mayim Bialik-directed film "As They Made Us," with Dustin Hoffman and Simon Helberg, which is now streaming; and Steenburgen followed up the NBC series "Zoey's Extraordinary Playlist" with two episodes of "Grace & Frankie."

It's kind of ironic, but for as long as pictures have been talking, actresses have been complaining that when they reach a certain age there are no good roles for them anymore. But times have changed and there are many actresses

who've been blown up that theory. In addition to the aforementioned actresses, the British royalty of acting, four Dames Judi Dench (87), upcoming in "Alleluiah," with Jennifer Saunders; Maggie Smith (87), currently in "Downton Abbey: A New Era"; Helen Mirren (76), "White Bird: A Wonder Story," out Oct. 14, and "Shazam: Fury of the Gods," Dec. 21; and Julie Andrews (86), who supplies her golden voice to "Minions: The Rise of Gru," premiering July 1. Then there's Sophia Loren (87), who scored last year in "The Life Ahead"; Shirley MacLaine (88), upcoming in "American Dreamer," billed behind star Peter Dinklage; and Ann-Margret (81), recently in "Queen Bees," with Ellen Burstyn, Jane Curtin, Christopher Lloyd and James Caan.

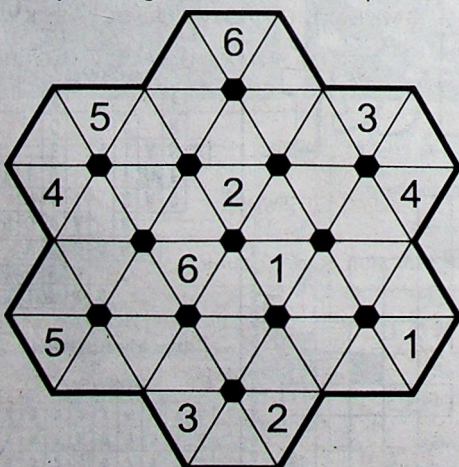
Jerry Bruckheimer's been very coy about plans for a sequel to "Top Gun: Maverick." In view of the ginormous Memorial Day weekend grosses, the Paramount Pictures lot is buzzing that Bruckheimer has already assigned scribes to cook up plots for a sequel. "Home Alone" star Macaulay Culkin is returning to filmmaking, co-starring with Rosamund Pike and Daniel Bruhl in Spanish director Galder Gaztelu-Urrutia's pandemic-themed thriller "Rich Flu," about a deadly disease that starts killing off the richest people in the world. It first strikes billionaires, then multi-millionaires, etc. How does the flu know who is rich? (And thank heavens I'm not!)

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SNOWFLAKES

by Japheth Light

There are 13 black hexagons in the puzzle. Place the numbers 1 - 6 around each of them. No number can be repeated in any partial hexagon shape along the border of the puzzle.



DIFFICULTY THIS WEEK: ◆◆◆

◆ Easy ◆◆ Medium ◆◆◆ Difficult

GO FIGURE! by Linda Thistle

The idea of Go Figure is to arrive at the figures given at the bottom and right-hand columns of the diagram by following the arithmetic signs in the order they are given (that is, from left to right and top to bottom). Use only the numbers below the diagram to complete its blank squares and use each of the nine numbers only once.

DIFFICULTY: ★★★

★ Moderate ★★ Difficult ★★★ GO FIGURE!

	-		x		21
÷		+		÷	
	x		x		16
+		x		+	
	÷		x		12
15		15		19	

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9

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KOVELS' Antiques & Collecting

By Terry and Kim Kovel

Coin-Operated Scale — Most of us diet and check our weight, but the days of tall scales sitting on a street corner waiting for someone to put a penny in the slot and step on the scale are almost gone.

It was during the 1920s and '30s that coin-operated scales were important. The first pedestrian coin scales were made in Germany in 1885, and by 1889, the National Scale Company was manufacturing them in the United States. In 1929, Peerless Scale Company, the largest in the U.S., was worth over \$50 million (much more if you think in terms of 2022 dollars).

The pennies were enough. A scale in a good location earned about \$1,000 a year. By the 1930s there were new incentives to spend a penny. The scale supplied a ticket with your weight printed on it. The tickets added fortunes, and people collected sets. But the fad didn't last and by the 1940s there were barely a third of the scales still left. The personal bathroom scale had replaced almost all of them.

Collectors ignored the old scales at first, but by the 1970s, there were collectors who bought the Peerless scales and others, and especially figural scales like an iron Mr. Peanut. Mr. Peanut scales were created in 1951. There were only 65 ever made — one for each of Planters Stores. The scale pictured measures weights from 25 pounds to 275 pounds. It sold at a Cowan auction for \$344.

Q: I have a full bottle of Corby's Park Lane Canadian Whisky. The seal is intact and has "1942" printed on it. I also have the original box and hard container for

it. I know it is old, as it was in my aunt's liquor cabinet for many years. Is there any collector value to this? If I do sell it, can I legally ship it to the buyer?

A: The value is in the collectible container and its packaging, not its contents. It is likely a special decanter bottle, probably a Christmas special, which makes it more collectible than a regular decanter. Park Lane Canadian Whisky has been discontinued. Laws vary from state to state on selling whiskey. But you could sell an empty bottle and box.

CURRENT PRICES

Royal Doulton, Bunnykins figurine, Nurse with Red Cross, white apron and cap with red cross on each, dark blue cape, Graham Tongue, DB 74, 1989, 4 inches, \$50. Wood carving, dough bowl, French Provincial, oval, 18th century, 8 x 36 3/4 x 18 inches, \$160. Sewer tile bank, football, brown textured glaze, coin slot on side, molded tee base, Ohio, early 20th century, 8 inches, \$375. Silver, sterling tea set, flared paneled bottom, elongated cinched neck, shaped handles, stepped foot, open sugar, Gorham, three pieces, \$415.

TIP: Put the silica packets that come in shoeboxes, handbags and with some prescription pills in the storage containers that hold your out-of-season clothes. The packets keep moisture and bugs away.

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STICKELERS

by Terry Stickels

Here's a fun trick you can try with your friends. Can you arrange 10 pennies into five rows of four pennies each?

Strange BUT TRUE

- Bugs Bunny's relaxed manner of eating carrots was inspired by a scene from the movie "It Happened One Night," in which Clark Gable crunches on the vegetable while chatting with Claudette Colbert.
- Caligynophobia, also known as Venustaphobia, is the fear of beautiful women.
- Pale skin was such a big fad in the 1700s that some French women even drew over their veins in blue pencil to accentuate their ethereal look.
- The first guidebook for Stonehenge, published in 1823, claimed the formation was one of the few ancient structures that survived the Old Testament flood.
- On average, less than 18 minutes of a baseball game is actual action.
- While many people are attracted by the promise of greener pastures, more than 100,000 are ready for those of a redder hue — they've applied for a one-way trip to Mars as part of The Mars One project.

- Vampire squid, which live in Monterey Bay, get their name not from drinking blood (they live on plankton), but their intelligence: They've been known to create complex geometrical patterns on the ocean floor.
- The New York City Ballet has an annual shoe budget of \$780,000! Dancers go through 500-800 pairs of pointe shoes just while performing "The Nutcracker" over a period of six weeks, and use even more pairs in two weeks performing "Swan Lake."
- Singer Billie Holiday babysat actor/comedian Billy Crystal, even taking him to his first movie.
- Researchers at California State University discovered that the self-control needed to suppress the urge to urinate can produce a more convincing liar, something known as the inhibitory spillover effect.

Thought for the Day: "The compact between writing and walking is almost as old as literature — a walk is only a step away from a story, and every path tells." — Robert Macfarlane

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Now here's a tip!

by Jo Ann Derson

- Keep your crisper drawer clean by lining with fresh newspaper. It will absorb smells and liquid, and can be easily replaced.
- If it's garage sale time, try this trick: Wrap a picture frame tightly with tulle. Then you can hang earrings from the tulle. Maybe someone will think it's so cute that you'll sell the frame, too!
- When your cut-up fruit is about to expire and you don't think you'll be able to eat it in time, just freeze it for smoothies. Lay it out in a single layer and pop it in the freezer. When it's frozen, you can put it in a zipper-top baggie for easy storage.

as gifts. My daddy put up five long shelves on one wall of her kitchen. They are the perfect place to line up and display all the mugs, and each one has a story, which is fun to hear." — F.E. in North Carolina

• "I have three girls and one bathroom, so there's no way anyone gets 'ready' in front of the bathroom mirror. Instead, all the girls have a hanging shoe rack on the back of their door for makeup and hair supplies, and a mirror on the wall." — P.W. in Oregon

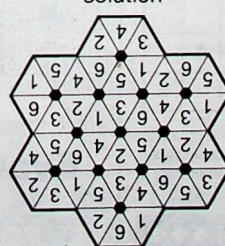
• Stubborn stains in the toilet? Try dropping in a few denture tablets before going to bed, then scrub and flush in the morning

Send your tips to Now Here's a Tip, 628 Virginia Drive, Orlando, FL 32803.

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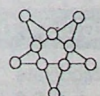
SNOWFLAKES

solution



Go Figure! answers

19	15	15
12	4	6
+	x	+
16	8	1
+	+	÷
21	7	9



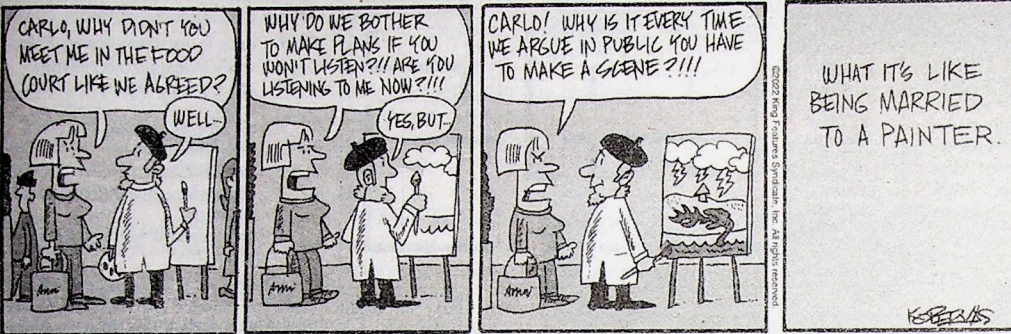
Sticklers Answer

Here's how you arrange 10 pennies into five rows of four pennies each.

Amber Waves



Out on a Limb



R.F.D.



SCRAMBLERS

Unscramble the letters within each rectangle to form four ordinary words. Then rearrange the boxed letters to form the mystery word, which will complete the gag!

Decrease

ANEW

Much

FONTE

New

CENTER

Browse

SUPREE

TODAY'S WORD

by Dave T. Phipps

by Gary Kopervas

by Mike Marland

Conceptis Hitori

Each puzzle consists of a square grid with numbers appearing in all squares. The object is to shade squares so:

1	5	3	1	2
5	4	1	3	4
3	4	3	1	5
4	4	2	3	3
2	1	5	4	4

- No number appears in a row or column more than once.
- Shaded (black) squares do not touch each other vertically or horizontally.
- When completed, all un-shaded (white) squares create a single continuous area.

3	3	3	7	1	5	6
1	2	5	5	4	6	3
2	5	1	2	3	1	4
2	6	4	4	4	1	3
2	1	3	4	6	1	5
5	7	4	1	2	3	7
3	4	6	6	7	7	2

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Fourth of July Fireworks Can Traumatize Pets

DEAR PAW'S CORNER: Please remind your readers that the noise and flash of fireworks can traumatize pets! Last year, my son and his partner took their dog "Bliss" to a Fourth of July festival. Someone set off a string of firecrackers a few feet from the booth they were visiting. Bliss bolted and pulled her leash out of my son's hand. She ran straight out into the road. Luckily, the cars all stopped, and one of the drivers caught her. Afterward she remained very anxious. Bliss now takes medication to stay calm, and it's difficult to take her to unfamiliar places. Please urge people not to set off fireworks; go to a professional display and leave the pets at home. — Judith in Lake City, Florida

DEAR JUDITH: You told them, and I thank you! I'm very sorry to hear that Bliss was traumatized, and I hope your son is able, through medication and training, to improve her confidence. Bliss' parents didn't do anything wrong in taking her to the festival, but their experience shows how others' irresponsibility can have consequences for pets, and that owners have to be alert and ready to handle potential problems. The Fourth of July can be a trying day for pets. Crowded parties and loud fireworks can really stress them out. Large fireworks displays are no different than big thunderstorms to most pets, and should be treated as such. If fireworks will be within earshot of your home this holiday, prepare a safe area for your pet to shelter where the noise will not bother it as badly. If a ThunderShirt works for your dog (or cat), use it. Don't bring pets to fireworks displays, and if you're setting off backyard fireworks, put your pets inside. Send your questions, tips or comments to ask@pawscorner.com.

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TOP TEN VIDEO, DVD
for release week of
June 20, 2022

Video On Demand

1. The Lost City (PG-13) Sandra Bullock
2. Dog (PG-13) Channing Tatum
3. Uncharted (PG-13) Tom Holland
4. Top Gun* (PG) Tom Cruise
5. The Contractor (R) Chris Pine
6. Last Seen Alive (R) Gerald Butler
7. Spider-Man: No Way Home (PG-13) Tom Holland
8. Blacklight (PG-13) Liam Neeson
9. Sing 2 (PG) animated
10. The Bad Guys (PG)

animated

DVD, Blu-ray Sales

1. The Batman (PG-13) Warner
2. Top Gun* (PG) Paramount
3. Uncharted (PG-13) Sony Pictures
4. Spider-Man: No Way Home (PG-13) Sony Pictures/Marvel
5. Sing 2 (PG) Universal
6. Dog (PG-13) Warner/MGM
7. Infinite (PG-13) Paramount
8. The Untouchables: 35th Anniversary* (R) Paramount
9. Turning Red (PG) Disney
10. Yellowstone: Season 4 (TV-MA) Paramount

*Re-release

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SCRAMBLERS

solution

TOAST

Today's Word

3. Recent 4. Peruse

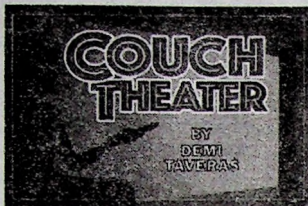
1. Wane 2. Open

Hitori

answer

2	7	7	9	9	4	3
7	3	7	4	1	7	5
5	1	9	4	3	2	7
3	4	4	4	1	2	7
4	1	3	1	2	5	1
6	3	5	4	6	3	5
6	3	3	7	1	5	6

MORE SUN FUN



The Matrix Resurrections (R) — The fourth installment of “The Matrix” film franchise is available once again on streaming for those who missed its original premiere in December. “Resurrections” takes place 60 years after the last film, following the beloved duo of Neo (Keanu Reeves) and Trinity (Carrie-Anne Moss), whose memories, since their resurrections, have been suppressed. Outside of the Matrix, Bugs, captain of a hovercraft called the Mnemosyne, recognizes Neo in his suppressed form and is able to extract him from the Matrix’s grip, awakening his true memories and identity. Now, with the help of Bugs and her crew, Neo can help to free Trinity and once again overcome the mind-bending Matrix. Overall, this installment maintains the essence of the previous films while adding interesting new characters and plotlines, but it also has a lot of lighthearted, comedic moments that, at times, feel quite Marvel-esque. (HBO Max)

Eternals (PG-13) — Speaking of Marvel-esque! As the 26th film in the Marvel Cinematic Universe (MCU), “Eternals” takes place in Phase Four of the MCU, after the Avengers succeeded in bringing back the missing half of the population that Thanos snapped away. Because of the population’s return, the energy on Earth brought on an apocalyptic astronomical event called the emergence. The only ones with knowledge of it are 10 superheroes, the Eternals, who were brought to Earth in 5,000 B.C. to ensure that the emergence happens. After so many years on Earth that fostered a great love for humankind, the Eternals as a team now face great inner conflict about doing what’s right versus doing what they were told. Hopefully, they’ll prevail in time

to save our planet! (Disney+)

Windfall (R) — This Netflix thriller features a cast of three characters who are never named, just described by their general roles: CEO, Wife and Nobody. Easy enough. CEO and Wife enter their vacation home and quickly discover a robber (Nobody), who holds CEO and Wife hostage until he receives \$500,000 in cash. A battle of mind games between the three characters commences, until it’s impossible to guess who will actually make it out alive. Director Charlie McDowell’s witty trio includes his own wife, Lily Collins, as well as actors Jason Segel (Nobody) and Jesse Plemons (CEO). (Netflix)



Keanu Reeves in “The Matrix Resurrections”

Good Luck to You, Leo Grande (R) — Nancy Stokes (Emma Thompson) is a middle-aged widow who finally feels ready to take the leap and kickstart her love life, so she decides to hire a young sex worker named Leo Grande (Daryl McCormack) to assist her. Nancy makes it clear to Leo beforehand that her late husband didn’t really take her pleasure into account during their marriage, so this is the time for her to ... take advantage and figure herself out. Described as a comedy-drama, this sex-positive film is a bit of an eccentric watch, but Thompson and McCormack are both so charming that you can’t go wrong. Now streaming on Hulu.

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Contract Bridge

DEFUSING A POTENTIAL THREAT

West dealer.

East-West vulnerable.

NORTH

♠ 8
♥ K 10 8 3
♦ A 6 5 2
♣ K 9 6 4

WEST

♠ K 10 4
♥ Q 7
♦ J 9
♣ A Q J 8 3 2

EAST

♠ 9 5 2
♥ J 9 6 5 4
♦ 10 8 4 3
♣ 10

SOUTH

♠ A Q J 7 6 3
♥ A 2
♦ K Q 7
♣ 7 5

The bidding:

West	North	East	South
1 ♠	Pass	Pass	2 ♣
Pass	2 NT	Pass	4 ♣

Opening lead — ace of clubs.

Assume you’re declarer at four spades and West leads the ace of clubs followed by the queen. When you play the king from dummy, East ruffs with the five and returns a low diamond.

Let’s say you win West’s nine of dia-

monds with dummy’s ace and return a trump, East following with the deuce. It might seem normal to finesse the queen, but if you did, you’d regret it.

West would take your queen with the king and return a low club, which East would ruff with the nine. You’d overruff with the jack and play the ace, but when East showed out you’d have to lose a trump trick to West’s ten and go down one.

In retrospect, it’s easy to see that it’s wrong to take the trump finesse. West is marked with the king of spades, since he could hardly have opened the bidding without it.

To attempt a finesse that is destined to fail, and at the same time subject yourself to the danger of an “uppercut” by East on the next club lead, amounts to going out of your way to try to lose the contract.

The correct play at trick four is to go up with the ace of trump and then lead the queen, which is the best you can do under the circumstances. In the actual deal, your only losers would be a club, a club ruff and a trump.

The hand dramatically illustrates that when there is nothing to gain and everything to lose by taking a finesse, it is clearly better to reject it.

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by Steve Becker

Puzzles4Kids

by Helene Hovanec

CRISSCROSS — USING A MAP

Each word will fit into one spot in the grid. Use the starting letters as a guide and fit each word into its spot. All words will be used, so cross off each one after you put it into the grid.

3 Letters

KEY

SEA

4 Letters

CAPE

CITY

EAST

HILL

LAKE

ROAD

TOWN

WEST

5 Letters

EARTH

MARSH

NORTH

OASIS

OCEAN

SOUTH

6 Letters

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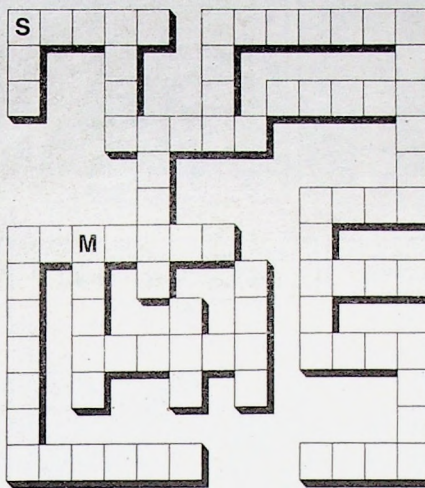
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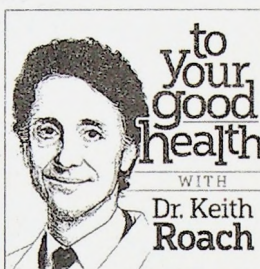
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Chest CT Can’t Replace Screening Mammogram

DEAR DR. ROACH: I am due to have a mammogram in July, but around the same time I am supposed to have a chest CT as a follow-up to my chondrosarcoma cancer. I have a CT every other year, and an X-ray on the opposite years of both my affected arm and my lungs. Does a chest CT have the potential of showing a similar finding as a mammogram? I would just as soon not have to expose myself to so much radiation all in one month. I’m 66. There is a history of postmenopausal breast cancer in my family, in my mother’s mother. -- T.M.H.

ANSWER: A mammogram is an X-ray that is designed specifically to look for abnormalities in breast tissue. Mammograms have been extensively studied and proven to reduce mortality in women between the ages of 50-74 (outside these ages, there remains extreme controversy).

CT scans are X-rays taken from many angles and then reconstructed in a computer to provide a look at many slices of the part of the body being looked at. A CT scanner can be set to emphasize bones or soft tissue, and work is ongoing now with CT scans designed specifically for breast abnormalities. The CT scan you get as follow-up to your chondrosarcoma (a rare cancer of cartilage) is designed to look in lung tissue for abnormalities and has not been evaluated as a means of screening for breast cancer, although I do know that some may be found anecdotally.

The CT scans you get as a part of your cancer follow-up are not an adequate substitute for ongoing mammography

which is particularly important in your case due to a family history. I do understand the concern about radiation, but a mammogram has very little radiation -- approximately the same you would get from naturally occurring radiation sources in seven weeks of walking around.

DEAR DR. ROACH: I read a news report that vasectomy increases risk of prostate cancer. Should men avoid this procedure due to concern for prostate cancer? -- T.S.V.

ANSWER: Several studies have looked at this possibility, and the results are conflicting. A 2014 study of about 50,000 U.S. men showed an increase of about 15% in the risk of fatal prostate cancer, but a 2016 study of 360,000 U.S. men showed no increase in risk. In June 2019, a study of over 2 million Danish men showed a 15% increase in overall prostate cancer risk. To put the risk in perspective, about 500 men would need to have a vasectomy for one additional man to get prostate cancer, in the Danish study. It is not clear that the vasectomy caused the prostate cancer.

It is possible that there is something about men who choose vasectomy that puts them at higher risk to begin with; however, the authors were unable to find a known risk factor to support that possibility.

Even if vasectomy does lead to an increased risk of prostate cancer, it still has similar or lower overall risk than other forms of birth control, and is a good choice for a man who is absolutely sure he does not want to father any more children, as a vasectomy should be considered permanent. Attempting reversal is possible, but there is no guarantee of success.

Dr. Roach regrets that he is unable to answer individual questions, but will incorporate them in the column whenever possible. Readers may email questions to ToYourGoodHealth@med.cornell.edu.

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Summer Peach Salad

Nothing says summer quite like a juicy fresh peach! Stir that peach into a delectable creamy salad, and you’re speaking heavenly wonders. Serve this to family or friends and just wait to hear the compliments for the cook!

- 3 cups (3 medium-sized) peeled and chopped fresh peaches
- 1 tablespoon diet lemon-lime soda
- 1 (4-serving) package sugar-free lemon gelatin
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 cup reduced-calorie whipped topping
- 1 cup seedless green grapes, halved

1. Place 1 cup of sliced peaches and soda in a blender container. Cover and process on CHOP for 30 seconds or until smooth. In a large bowl, combine dry gelatin and boiling water. Mix well to dissolve gelatin. Stir in blended peaches. Refrigerate for at least 15 minutes.

2. Fold in whipped topping. Add remaining 2 cups chopped peaches and grape halves. Mix gently just to combine. Pour mixture into an 8-by-8-inch dish. Refrigerate until firm, about 3 hours. Cut into 8 servings.

• Each serving equals: 61 calories, 1g fat, 1g protein, 12g carb., 3mg sodium, 1g fiber; Diabetic Exchanges: 1 Fruit.

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- Which artist was the first to release “Turn on Your Love Light”?
- Who wrote and released “Come Softly to Me”?
- Why did John Mellencamp briefly change his last name to Cougar?
- Which group started as Chubby and the Turnpikes?
- Name the song that contains this lyric: “I’ll never let you see the way my broken heart is hurting me, I’ve got my pride and I know how to hide, all the sorrow and pain.”

Answers

- Bobby “Blue” Bland, in 1961. His version was followed by covers from Van Morrison and the Grateful Dead.
- The Fleetwoods, in 1959. Legend says the song was recorded at home, with no musical accompaniment except the jingling of car keys. Instruments were added later in the studio. (Listen: You can hear the car keys.)
- “Cougar” was pushed on him by a promoter who said the German sounding “Mellencamp” would be a hard sell.
- Tavares.
- “Crying in the Rain,” by the Everly Brothers, in 1962. Astonishingly enough, the song only made it to No. 6 on the U.S. charts. Numerous others released covers over the years, including Peter and Gordon, Art Garfunkel and Slade. The only place it ever topped the chart was Norway.

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FinComm OKs \$15M Bond For New Animal Shelter

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lar City Council meeting of the spring was scheduled for Tuesday, after The Sun went to press for the week, and a final vote on the bond was anticipated at that meeting.

The new building would be located at 99 Quarry St., adjacent to the city's dog park, and will replace the current animal shelter on Broad Street, where the city is building a new public safety headquarters.

Before it can move into the new building, the shelter will be relocated to a temporary home on East Squantum Street, which Paul Hines, the city's commissioner of public buildings, said is being renovated at a cost of \$1 million. Those costs are being paid for with relocation funds included in one of the bonds for the public safety building, he said.

Workers in the Public Buildings Department will relocate to the facility on East Squantum Street once the shelter moves out, Hines said. Those workers are currently based out of North Quincy High School.

The finance committee, in a separate 4-1 vote on June 15, approved taking by eminent domain the building on East Squantum Street and 2.7 acres of adjacent land. A final vote on that could also come on Tuesday.

Mayor Thomas Koch sought \$7.1 million for the new shelter in 2017, but councillors approved a bond for half of that amount. At the time, councillors expressed concerns about the size of building and about fully funding the project before the design of the facility was complete.

Eric Nelson, an architect with the firm RFA, provided councillors with a look at the new design of the shelter during the June 15 meeting. The new building would contain about 14,900 square feet of space, down from the initial 21,000-square-foot facility that was presented in 2017.

"It is just shy of 15,000 square feet. It is very compact in comparison to a lot of other shelters serving sizable cities like the city of Quincy," Nelson said.

The building will have capacity for 84 animals when it opens, he said; 30 cats and 8 dogs ready for adoption, 32 cats and 11 dogs not ready for adoption, and 3 of the Police Department's canines at a given time. Each animal holding area would have its own exercise yard for those animals.

The building would be split roughly 50-50 between the animal shelter and the animal control officer and K-9 unit. The interior would include a reception area at

the main entrance, rooms where shelter staff can interview residents looking to adopt an animal, and support areas, such as space for food preparation and bowl cleaning, laundry and administrative offices.

The building would also feature a clinic on site with an exam room – to be used by both the shelter and animal control – a treatment area, a surgery prep room, and a single room for spaying, neutering and surgery, Nelson said. The 2017 plan included a larger on-site clinic than what is now being proposed.

Kit Burke, the Quincy Animal Shelter's shelter director, said a multi-purpose room inside the new facility would "provide space for emergency housing for the pets of evacuees, as mandated by federal law, in a space that is intended to house animals instead of the gymnasium floor of one of our schools."

Sandra Sines, the president of the Quincy Animal Shelter, said the city's residents and animals both deserve to have the new facility.

"Since we began in 1999, the city of Quincy has changed in so many positive ways," she said. "The residents of the city of Quincy and the animals we serve deserve this new shelter. The Quarry Street shelter will allow us to continue our work and support the community for generations to come."

The building would be located off Quarry Street along the access road that serves the dog park and would be built parallel to the access road. Nelson said the building would be "nestled" into the hill, saving money on site costs. The rear portion of the building includes a green roof, located on the same level as the sidewalk along the access road. The green roof serves as an extension of the nearby dog park, Nelson said.

Hines said the building would run completely on electricity, rather than using fossil fuels for heating. The project would include a tie-in to an array of solar panels that could be built on the opposite side of the access road, he said.

The city hopes to go to bid for the building over the summer and begin construction in late September, according to Paul Kalous of the firm Hill International, the owner's project manager. It should be substantially complete in November 2023 and ready for occupancy in January 2024.

The \$15 million bond includes \$13.95 million for construction costs, \$100,000 each for fees to utility com-



ENTRANCE of the proposed new Quincy Animal Shelter, which would be located at 99 Quarry St. near the city's dog park. The building is "nestled" into the hillside in order to save on site costs, according to the building's architect.

Renderings Courtesy City of Quincy



GREEN roof would be located on top of a portion of the proposed Quincy Animal Shelter. The green roof serves as an extension of the nearby city dog park, the project architect stated.



VISITORS would be welcomed into the new Quincy Animal Shelter at this reception area. Interview rooms, where residents looking to adopt an animal, are located nearby. The building would also include a multi-purpose room for emergency housing for the pets of evacuees.

panies, materials testing and geo-tech, and furnishings, plus \$750,000 for contingencies, Kalous said. Hines said the \$3.55 million bond approved in 2017 was used to complete the design of the project and also paid for site work.

During the meeting, Liang asked the project team why the construction costs Kalous referenced were \$280,000 higher than the estimated costs were in May, based on documentation provided to councillors.

Kalous said the difference was due to an escalation in construction costs. He noted a 2021 estimate for the construction costs associated with the project came in \$1.5 million lower than the amount being sought now; the project team went back to the drawing board last year and revised those plans.

Liang also sought a breakdown of operating

costs associated with the new building. Hines said the facility would require a custodial presence and someone from his department would be responsible for that. The building is also expected to have higher energy costs than the facility it is replacing.

Mahoney asked Nelson several questions related to a proposed animal shelter in Milton; Nelson's firm is designing that building as well as the one in Quincy. Nelson said a 6,000-square-foot facility in Milton was projected to cost \$5 million, and the project has gone back to the drawing board to reduce costs.

Mahoney said Quincy, like Milton, should have sought to reduce costs of constructing the animal shelter.

"Is there any way we could go back to cut costs on this, because that's what we need to happen – \$15 mil-

lion is not acceptable to the taxpayers of the city of Quincy," she said. "You are doing that for the town of Milton. You're not being asked to do that for the city of Quincy. I think this council needs to ask you to go back and do that. You need to tighten your belt and come back with something we can afford to do."

DiBona, the council president, called the new animal shelter a missing piece that would help take Quincy to the next level. He made a motion to pass the bond out of committee.

"Just think about if we kick the can down the road for this project, how much more it would be down the road," DiBona said. "This puts us in a pretty decent position to get the bids in, get construction in in September, and have this built out for January of '24. It's – you get into construction

before the winter starts to start, where some of the area could be frozen."

Phelan, the chairperson of the finance committee, said it was time to move the project forward.

"I am not in favor of kicking this down the road any more. I think it is time that we act," he said. "I realize it is an expense for the taxpayers, but I think it is money well spent."

Liang said she wanted the information she requested about the construction estimate and the operating costs of the facility before voting on the matter.

"There's two things that need to happen. We need to get the shelter built and opened, but we also need to ensure its success. Those two pieces of information would be helpful to me to make sure we ensure the success and operation of the building moving forward," Liang said.



REMEMBERING A CLASSMATE – FLORENCE DALEY, a 2022 graduate of North Quincy High School, holds a bouquet of flowers and a portrait of her friend, Liana Dararaksmei who passed away unexpectedly Aug. 2, 2021. She was 17. Liana would have graduated with her classmates this June. Her friends placed the bouquet and the framed photo of Liana on a empty seat at graduation in her memory. Quincy Sun Photo/Tom Gorman



OFFICERS AND MEMBERS of Squadron 294, Sons of the American Legion, Cyril P. Morrisette Post, gratefully acknowledging the efforts of cadets from the North Quincy High School Air Force Junior ROTC, Detachment 841, in removing for storage a large portion of the flags at the Flags for Veterans Island in Fort Square, Quincy. Approximately 100 flags will be left on display until after the July 4th holiday. Courtesy Photo

'Fresh Set Of Eyes' Needed On MBTA, Mariano Says

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was funded I think was the problem that we still haven't gotten over. In the old days, the T submitted a budget, \$50 million, whatever, and ran the line for the year. The end of the year comes, 'well, we spent \$65 million,' they'd send us a bill for \$15 and we'd just pay it. There was no attempt to manage their budget or do a predictable budget going forward," Mariano said.

"(Then-House Speaker Thomas) Finneran changed that somewhere in the early 2000s and forced them to predict what this thing was going to cost to run – and of course they never got it right. They'd still be off, but at least they had to plan and start to look at potential ways to save money. But I

also think they learned that if they cut out the maintenance stuff or reduced the maintenance stuff, they'd have plenty of money to operate. So, I think it's a long history of inept financial management that has got us to where we are today, and we need to improve that and we need a plan."

"And I get really exasperated because we hear all about, 'we need more stations, we've got to expand.' We can't take care of the stations we have," Mariano added. "We can't get trains that run on time and work every day. And now they want to expand it and put

more stress on the lines. It doesn't make any sense."

In addition, Mariano said there is less support for the MBTA in the western half of the state.

"Another issue you have, everyone from Worcester out doesn't want to pay a nickel for the trains. I get every day, 'there's money in here for the T, what are you doing for Western Mass?'" he said.

"It's a big state and it's a diverse state, and when you try to get it to run right you realize you have to accommodate a lot of different interests, and that's the challenge."

Four On URI Dean's List

Four students from Quincy have been named to the Dean's List for the spring semester at the University of Rhode Island in Kings-

ton, R.I.

They are:

Toni Alvarado, Molly Cronin, Thomas Feeney and Thomas Kelly.

Sydney Hester On Dean's List

Sydney Hester of Quincy has been named to the Dean's List for the spring

semester at the University of Delaware in Newark, DE.

Summer Movie Nights On 'Old Ironsides' Start Friday

USS Constitution and the USS Constitution Museum and the USS Constitution Museum will host a series of free public Summer Movie Nights aboard the Ship this summer, beginning Friday, June 24.

"Old Ironsides" crew will screen each movie on a projector for guests aboard

the ship's top deck.

The events will be first come, first served due to space. General seating is available, and guests may bring their own chairs and blankets to use while viewing the movie.

Prior to the screenings, museum educators will offer free, all-ages activities and Public Historian Carl Herzog will discuss the Ship's history as it relates to the movie being shown that evening.

Movie titles, dates, and times for the Summer Movie Nights are available on the Museum's website.

All guests age 18 and older are required to show a valid state or federal-issued photo I.D. or passport to board the ship.

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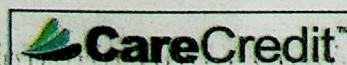


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